
IMMIGRANTS, FISCAL YEAR 2000

This report will appear as a chapter in the forthcoming 2000 *Statistical Yearbook of the Immigration and Naturalization Service*. All references to Appendixes, Charts, Tables, and other sections of the *Statistical Yearbook* appear as they will in the final *Yearbook* edition.

I. IMMIGRANTS

This section presents information on the number and characteristics of persons who come to the United States for permanent residence, including persons arriving with that status and those adjusting to permanent resident status after entry.

Immigrants, as defined by U.S. immigration law, are persons lawfully admitted for permanent residence in the United States. Other terms used in INS reports to refer to immigrants include: aliens who are granted legal permanent residence; aliens admitted for legal permanent residence; immigrants admitted; and admissions. (See Appendix 2.)

Aliens wishing to become legal immigrants follow one of two paths depending on their residence at the time of application. Aliens living abroad apply for an immigrant visa at a consular office of the Department of State. Once issued a visa, they may enter the United States and become legal immigrants when they pass through the port of entry. Aliens already living in the United States, including certain undocumented immigrants, temporary workers, foreign students, and refugees, file an application for adjustment of status (to legal permanent residence) with the INS. At the time they apply for adjustment of status, they may also apply for work permits. Adjustment of status applicants are granted legal permanent residence at the time their applications are approved. New legal immigrants are automatically authorized to work and should receive alien registration cards ("green cards") soon after becoming legal permanent residents.

U.S. Immigration Program

U.S. law gives preferential immigration status to persons with a close family relationship with a U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident, persons with needed job skills, or persons who qualify as refugees. Immigrants in other categories usually account for relatively few admissions. An exception occurred during 1989-92 when over 2.6 million former illegal aliens gained permanent resident status through the legalization provisions of the Immigration and Reform and Control Act (IRCA) of 1986.

Worldwide immigration subject to numerical limits

The Immigration Act of 1990 specified a worldwide level of immigration for certain categories of immigrants with an annual limit that could range between 421,000 and 675,000 depending on admissions in the previous year. These categories and their limits include family-sponsored preferences (226,000 to 480,000), employment-based preferences

(140,000), and diversity immigrants (55,000). The family preference limit is equal to the larger of either 226,000 or a calculation consisting of 480,000 minus 1) the previous year's total of immediate relatives of U.S. citizens, 2) two numerically small categories of children, and 3) certain categories of aliens paroled into the United States in the second preceding fiscal year plus any unused employment preferences from the previous year (see Appendix 1). The employment preference limit can be higher than 140,000 if family preferences go unused in the previous year.

Other categories of immigrants, for example, asylees, are also subject to some form of numerical or time bound limitation. However, these categories typically involve small numbers of aliens and are covered under other sections of immigration law.

Preference immigrants

Family sponsored preferences consist of four categories: unmarried sons and daughters of U.S. citizens and their children; spouses, children, and unmarried sons and daughters of legal permanent residents; married sons and daughters of U.S. citizens and their spouses and children; and brothers and sisters, including spouses and children, of U.S. citizens ages 21 and over. The employment-based preferences consist of five categories: priority workers; professionals with advanced degrees or aliens of exceptional ability; skilled workers, professionals (without advanced degrees), and needed unskilled workers; special immigrants (*e.g.*, ministers, religious workers, and employees of the U.S. government abroad); and employment creation immigrants or "investors". Spouses and children are also included in the employment preference limit. The 2000 limits are shown in Appendix 1.

The Department of State is responsible for determining the annual limits and visa allocation for preference immigration. A per-country limit is also calculated annually and is limited to 7 percent of the annual total; the limit for dependent areas is 2 percent of the annual total. The maximum number of visas allowed under the preference system in 2000 was 436,900—294,601 for family-sponsored immigrants and 142,299 for

employment-based immigrants. Within these overall limits, no more than 30,583 preference visas could be issued to persons born in any independent country and no more than 8,738 to natives of a dependent area.

Diversity Program

A total of 55,000 visas are available annually to nationals of certain countries under the Diversity Program. However, beginning in fiscal year 1999, the limit may be reduced to 50,000 to allow 5,000 visas for use under the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA) program. In 2000, the Diversity Program limit was 50,000. Nationals of countries with more than 50,000 numerically-limited admissions during the preceding 5 years are excluded from participating in the Diversity Program. Each of the eligible countries is assigned to one of 6 regions and limits are determined by the INS for each region. The limits are calculated annually using a formula based on immigrant admissions during the preceding 5 years and the population total of the region. The maximum visa limit per country is 3,850.

Immigration exempt from worldwide numerical limits

Immigration usually totals much more than the annual worldwide limit for preference and diversity immigrants because some major categories are exempt from the limits. These categories include:

- ◆ Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens;
- ◆ Refugee and asylee adjustments;
- ◆ Certain parolees from the Soviet Union and Indochina;
- ◆ Cancellation of removal; and
- ◆ Aliens who applied for adjustment of status after having unlawfully resided in the United States since January 1, 1982 and certain special agricultural workers. (The application period ended on November 30, 1988; most recipients of this status gained permanent resident status in fiscal years 1989-92.)

Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens are not subject to any numerical limitation. This has been the single largest category of immigrants since 1986 excluding aliens granted legal permanent residence under IRCA.

Refugees are eligible to adjust to legal permanent resident status after 1 year of residence in the United States without regard to numerical limit. The number of aliens admitted as refugees to the United States each year, however, is established by the President in consultation with Congress (see Refugee section). Recent ceilings on refugee admissions were 78,000 in 1997, 83,000 in 1998, 78,000 in 1999, and 90,000 in 2000.

Asylees also must wait 1 year after they are granted asylum to apply for legal permanent resident status. Until 1992, there was a limit of 5,000 adjustments per year. The Immigration Act of 1990 increased the limit to 10,000.

Data Overview

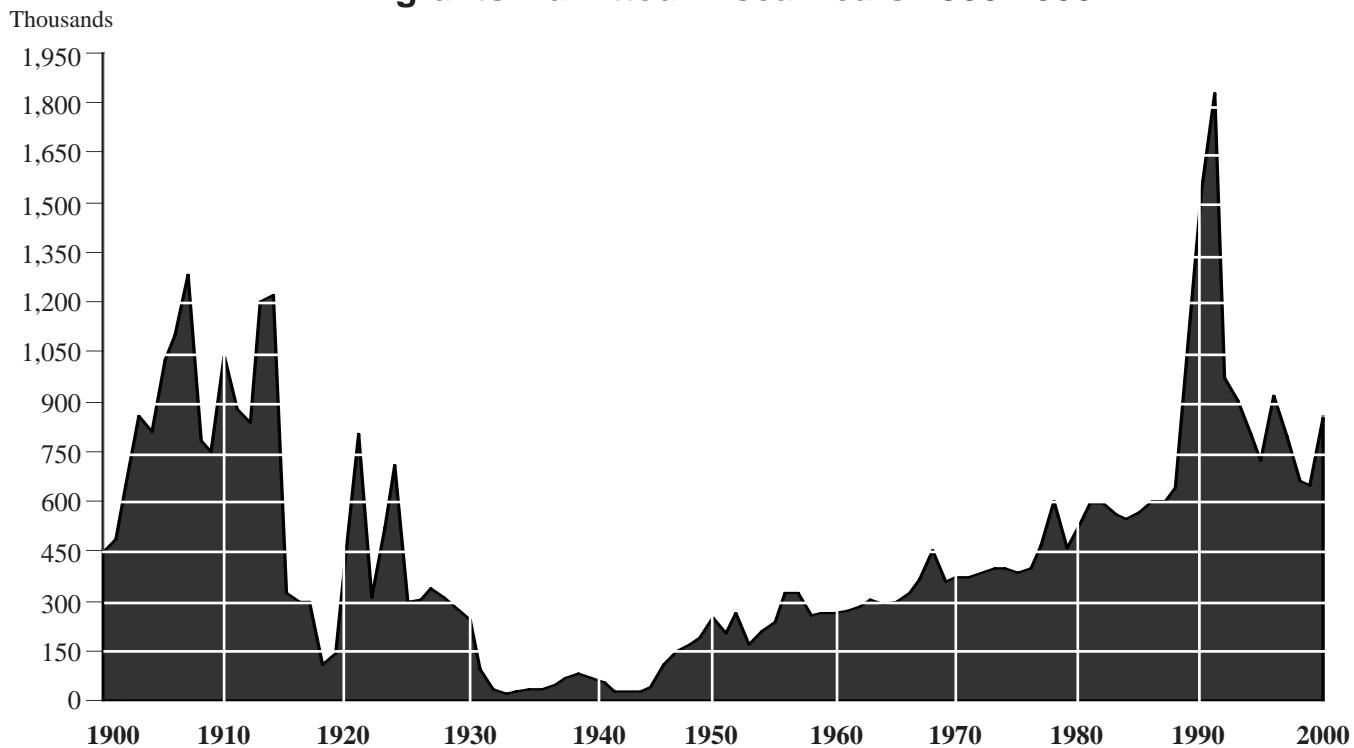
The number of immigrants admitted for legal permanent residence in the United States in 2000 was 849,807 (see Chart A). Included in this total were 407,402 aliens previously living abroad who obtained immigrant visas through the U.S. Department of State and became legal permanent residents upon entry into the United States. The remaining 442,405 legal immigrants, including former undocumented immigrants, refugees, and asylees, had been living in the United States an average of three years and adjusted status through the INS. Not included in 2000 legal immigration figures are aliens whose adjustment of status applications were pending a decision at the INS at the end of the year.

Nearly 850,000 immigrants were granted legal permanent resident status during 2000.

Highlights

- ◆ The number of persons granted legal permanent residence in the U.S. increased to 849,807 in fiscal year 2000 from 646,568 in fiscal year 1999 (see Chart A). This increase of just over 200,000 was concentrated almost entirely among adjustments of status and reflects efforts to address the application backlog at INS. At the end of fiscal year 2000, there were 1 million adjustment of status cases pending a decision.
- ◆ Sixty-nine percent of all legal immigrants in fiscal year 2000 were family sponsored, 13 percent were employment preferences, and 8 percent were refugees or asylees. The increase in legal immigration between fiscal years 1999 and 2000 was greatest among spouses of U.S. citizens, employment preference immigrants, refugees, and NACARA (Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act of 1997) immigrants. Most applications in these categories (all applications for refugees and NACARA) are adjustments of status.
- ◆ In 2000, as in 1999, the leading countries of origin for legal immigrants included Mexico (173,919), the People's Republic of China (45,652), the Philippines (42,474), India (42,046), and Vietnam (26,747). These five countries represented 39 percent of all immigrants in 2000.

Chart A
Immigrants Admitted: Fiscal Years 1900-2000



Source: Table 1. See Appendix 2 for fiscal year definitions.

- The primary destination states for legal immigrants in 2000, as in every year since 1971, were California (217,753), New York (106,061), Florida (98,391), Texas (63,840), New Jersey (40,013) and Illinois (36,810). These six states accounted for 66 percent of all legal immigrants in 2000.

Understanding the Data

Data Collection

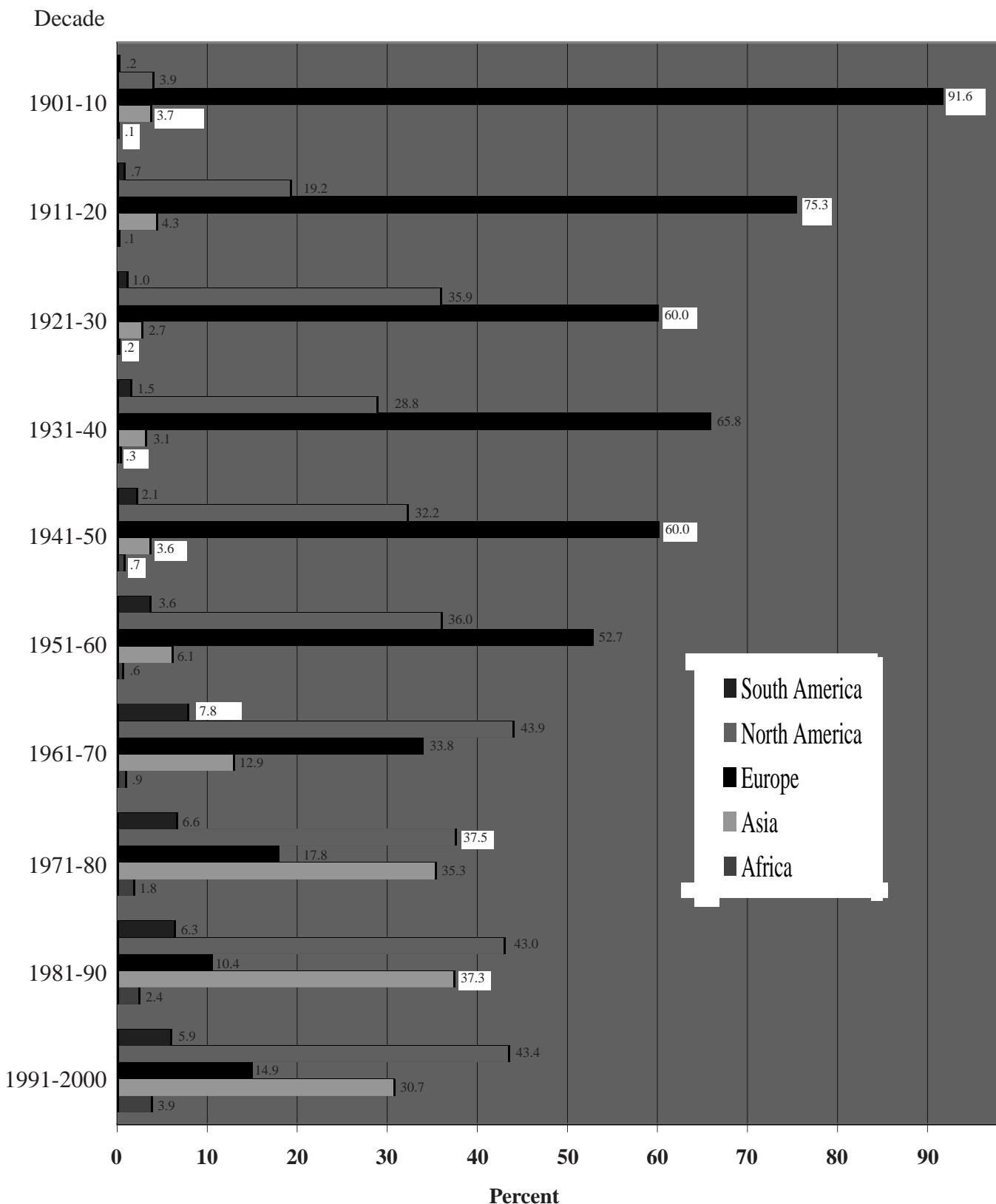
Aliens arriving from outside the United States (new arrivals) generally must have a valid immigrant visa issued by the U.S. Department of State to be admitted for legal permanent residence. Aliens already in the United States in a temporary status who are eligible to become legal permanent residents (adjustments) are granted immigrant status by the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service. The source of information on new arrivals is the immigrant visa (*OF-155, Immigrant Visa and Alien Registration*, U.S. Department of State). Information on adjustments comes from the form granting legal permanent resident status (*I-181, Memorandum of Creation of Record of Lawful Permanent Residence*, U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service).

Immigrant applications from both sources are processed through the Computer Linked Applicant Information System (CLAIMS). Most immigrant records for fiscal year 2000 were identified in CLAIMS based on the date of approval for legal permanent residence. For certain categories of immigrants, including refugees, asylees, and cancellation of removal, CLAIMS does not store the approval date so alternative selection criteria were used. Refugee and cancellation of removal records were identified using the date that approved applications were received in INS service centers. Asylee records were identified by adding one year to the date appearing in the admission/adjustment date field. This field stores the date used to count the time spent toward meeting the residency requirement for naturalization. Asylees are eligible for naturalization four years after becoming legal permanent residents so the admission/adjustment date represents the actual approval date rolled back one year.

Limitations of Data

The number of immigrants admitted for legal permanent residence in a year is not the same as the number of net

Chart B. Region of Last Residence of Legal Immigrants, Percent Distribution by Decade



Note: Oceania and unspecified region represent no more than 1 percent of legal immigration each decade.

Source: Table 2.

Table A
Class of Admission of Legal Immigrants: Fiscal Years 1989-2000
(Percent of total)

Year	Total	Immediate relative of U.S. citizen	Family preference	Employment preference	Refugee/Asylee	IRCA/Legalization dependent	Diversity	Other
1989	100	20	20	5	8	44	NA	3
1990	100	15	14	4	6	57	NA	4
1991	100	13	12	3	8	61	NA	3
1992	100	24	22	12	12	22	3	4
1993	100	28	25	16	14	9	4	4
1994	100	31	26	15	15	5	5	2
1995	100	31	33	12	16	1	7	1
1996	100	33	32	13	14	1	6	1
1997	100	40	27	11	14	Z	6	1
1998	100	43	29	12	8	Z	7	1
1999	100	40	34	9	7	Z	7	1
2000	100	41	28	13	8	Z	6	4

NA Not available. Z Rounds to less than .05 percent.

migrants who entered the United States in that year. The reasons for the difference in counts are:

- 1) Immigrant adjustments are reported in the year the aliens adjust their status to lawful permanent residence and not in the year they migrate to the United States in a temporary or other (refugee or asylee) status.
- 2) Some migrants (such as parolees, refugees, and asylees) may never be counted as lawful permanent residents even though they reside permanently in the United States (they are not required to adjust to permanent resident status).

3) Information on emigration (aliens permanently departing the United States) and information on net illegal immigration is not available (see Data Gaps section).

4) Missing values were a problem especially for adjustment of status cases for certain variables. These included occupation, country of chargeability (preference limit), nonimmigrant class of entry, and nonimmigrant year of entry.

TABLE 1. IMMIGRATION TO THE UNITED STATES: FISCAL YEARS 1820 - 2000

Year	Number	Year	Number	Year	Number	Year	Number
1820 - 2000	66,089,431						
1820	8,385						
1821-30	143,439	1871-80	2,812,191	1921-30	4,107,209	1971-80	4,493,314
1821	9,127	1871	321,350	1921	805,228	1971	370,478
1822	6,911	1872	404,806	1922	309,556	1972	384,685
1823	6,354	1873	459,803	1923	522,919	1973	400,063
1824	7,912	1874	313,339	1924	706,896	1974	394,861
1825	10,199	1875	227,498	1925	294,314	1975	386,194
1826	10,837	1876	169,986	1926	304,488	1976	398,613
1827	18,875	1877	141,857	1927	335,175	1976, TQ ¹	103,676
1828	27,382	1878	138,469	1928	307,255	1977	462,315
1829	22,520	1879	177,826	1929	279,678	1978	601,442
1830	23,322	1880	457,257	1930	241,700	1979	460,348
1831-40	599,125	1881-90	5,246,613	1931-40	528,431	1981-90	7,338,062
1831	22,633	1881	669,431	1931	97,139	1981-90	7,338,062
1832	60,482	1882	788,992	1932	35,576	1981	596,600
1833	58,640	1883	603,322	1933	23,068	1982	594,131
1834	65,365	1884	518,592	1934	29,470	1983	559,763
1835	45,374	1885	395,346	1935	34,956	1984	543,903
1836	76,242	1886	334,203	1936	36,329	1985	570,009
1837	79,340	1887	490,109	1937	50,244	1986	601,708
1838	38,914	1888	546,889	1938	67,895	1987	601,516
1839	68,069	1889	444,427	1939	82,998	1988	643,025
1840	84,066	1890	455,302	1940	70,756	1989	1,090,924
1841-50	1,713,251	1891-1900	3,687,564	1941-50	1,035,039	1991-2000	9,095,417
1841	80,289	1891	560,319	1941	51,776	1991	1,827,167
1842	104,565	1892	579,663	1942	28,781	1992	973,977
1843	52,496	1893	439,730	1943	23,725		
1844	78,615	1894	285,631	1944	28,551	1993	904,292
1845	114,371	1895	258,536	1945	38,119	1994	804,416
1846	154,416	1896	343,267	1946	108,721	1995	720,461
1847	234,968	1897	230,832	1947	147,292	1996	915,900
1848	226,527	1898	229,299	1948	170,570	1997	798,378
1849	297,024	1899	311,715	1949	188,317	1998	654,451
1850	369,980	1900	448,572	1950	249,187	1999	646,568
1851-60	2,598,214	1901-10	8,795,386	1951-60	2,515,479	2000	849,807
1851	379,466	1901	487,918	1951	205,717		
1852	371,603	1902	648,743	1952	265,520		
1853	368,645	1903	857,046	1953	170,434		
1854	427,833	1904	812,870	1954	208,177		
1855	200,877	1905	1,026,499	1955	237,790		
1856	200,436	1906	1,100,735	1956	321,625		
1857	251,306	1907	1,285,349	1957	326,867		
1858	123,126	1908	782,870	1958	253,265		
1859	121,282	1909	751,786	1959	260,686		
1860	153,640	1910	1,041,570	1960	265,398		
1861-70	2,314,824	1911-20	5,735,811	1961-70	3,321,677		
1861	91,918	1911	878,587	1961	271,344		
1862	91,985	1912	838,172	1962	283,763		
1863	176,282	1913	1,197,892	1963	306,260		
1864	193,418	1914	1,218,480	1964	292,248		
1865	248,120	1915	326,700	1965	296,697		
1866	318,568	1916	298,826	1966	323,040		
1867	315,722	1917	295,403	1967	361,972		
1868	138,840	1918	110,618	1968	454,448		
1869	352,768	1919	141,132	1969	358,579		
1870	387,203	1920	430,001	1970	373,326		

¹ Transition quarter, July 1 through September 30, 1976.

NOTE: The numbers shown are as follows: from 1820-67, figures represent alien passengers arrived at seaports; from 1868-92 and 1895-97, immigrant aliens arrived; from 1892-94 and 1898-1999, immigrant aliens admitted for permanent residence. From 1892-1903, aliens entering by cabin class were not counted as immigrants. Land arrivals were not completely enumerated until 1908. See Glossary for fiscal year definitions.

**TABLE 2. IMMIGRATION BY REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1820 - 2000**

Region and country of last residence ¹	1820	1821 - 30	1831 - 40	1841 - 50	1851 - 60	1861 - 70	1871 - 80	1881 - 90
All countries	8,385	143,439	599,125	1,713,251	2,598,214	2,314,824	2,812,191	5,246,613
Europe	7,690	98,797	495,681	1,597,442	2,452,577	2,065,141	2,271,925	4,735,484
Austria-Hungary	2	2	2	2	2	7,800	72,969	353,719
Austria	2	2	2	2	2	7,124 ³	63,009	226,038
Hungary	2	2	2	2	2	484 ³	9,960	127,681
Belgium	1	27	22	5,074	4,738	6,734	7,221	20,177
Czechoslovakia	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Denmark	20	169	1,063	539	3,749	17,094	31,771	88,132
France	371	8,497	45,575	77,262	76,358	35,986	72,206	50,464
Germany	968	6,761	152,454	434,626	951,667	787,468	718,182	1,452,970
Greece	-	20	49	16	31	72	210	2,308
Ireland ⁵	3,614	50,724	207,381	780,719	914,119	435,778	436,871	655,482
Italy	30	409	2,253	1,870	9,231	11,725	55,759	307,309
Netherlands	49	1,078	1,412	8,251	10,789	9,102	16,541	53,701
Norway-Sweden	3	91	1,201	13,903	20,931	109,298	211,245	568,362
Norway	6	6	6	6	6	6	95,323	176,586
Sweden	6	6	6	6	6	6	115,922	391,776
Poland	5	16	369	105	1,164	2,027	12,970	51,806
Portugal	35	145	829	550	1,055	2,658	14,082	16,978
Romania	7	7	7	7	7	7	11 ⁷	6,348
Soviet Union	14	75	277	551	457	2,512	39,284	213,282
Spain	139	2,477	2,125	2,209	9,298	6,697	5,266	4,419
Switzerland	31	3,226	4,821	4,644	25,011	23,286	28,293	81,988
United Kingdom ⁵⁻⁸	2,410	25,079	75,810	267,044	423,974	606,896	548,043	807,357
Yugoslavia	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Other Europe	-	3	40	79	5	8	1,001	682
Asia	6	30	55	141	41,538	64,759	124,160	69,942
China ¹⁰	1	2	8	35	41,397	64,301	123,201	61,711
Hong Kong	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
India	1	8	39	36	43	69	163	269
Iran	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Israel	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13
Japan	14	14	14	14	14	186	149	2,270
Korea	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Philippines	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
Turkey	1	20	7	59	83	131	404	3,782
Vietnam	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Other Asia	3	-	1	11	15	72	243	1,910
America	387	11,564	33,424	62,469	74,720	166,607	404,044	426,967
Canada & Newfoundland ¹⁷⁻¹⁸	209	2,277	13,624	41,723	59,309	153,878	383,640	393,304
Mexico ¹⁸	1	4,817	6,599	3,271	3,078	2,191	5,162	1,913 ¹⁹
Caribbean	164	3,834	12,301	13,528	10,660	9,046	13,957	29,042
Cuba	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Dominican Republic	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Haiti	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Jamaica	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21
Other Caribbean	164	3,834	12,301	13,528	10,660	9,046	13,957	29,042
Central America	2	105	44	368	449	95	157	404
El Salvador	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Other Central America	2	105	44	368	449	95	157	404
South America	11	531	856	3,579	1,224	1,397	1,128	2,304
Argentina	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Colombia	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Ecuador	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Other South America	11	531	856	3,579	1,224	1,397	1,128	2,304
Other America	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22
Africa	1	16	54	55	210	312	358	857
Oceania	1	2	9	29	158	214	10,914	12,574
Not specified ²²	300	33,030	69,902	53,115	29,011	17,791	790	789

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 2. IMMIGRATION BY REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1820 - 2000—Continued**

Region and country of last residence ¹	1891 - 1900	1901 - 10	1911 - 20	1921 - 30	1931 - 40	1941 - 50	1951 - 60	1961 - 70
All countries	3,687,564	8,795,386	5,735,811	4,107,209	528,431	1,035,039	2,515,479	3,321,677
Europe	3,555,352	8,056,040	4,321,887	2,463,194	347,566	621,147	1,325,727	1,123,492
Austria-Hungary	592,707 ²³	2,145,266 ²³	896,342 ²³	63,548	11,424	28,329	103,743	26,022
Austria	234,081 ³	668,209 ³	453,649	32,868	3,563 ²⁴	24,860 ²⁴	67,106	20,621
Hungary	181,288 ³	808,511 ³	442,693	30,680	7,861	3,469	36,637	5,401
Belgium	18,167	41,635	33,746	15,846	4,817	12,189	18,575	9,192
Czechoslovakia	4	4	3,426 ⁴	102,194	14,393	8,347	918	3,273
Denmark	50,231	65,285	41,983	32,430	2,559	5,393	10,984	9,201
France	30,770	73,379	61,897	49,610	12,623	38,809	51,121	45,237
Germany	505,152 ²³	341,498 ²³	143,945 ²³	412,202	114,058 ²⁴	226,578 ²⁴	477,765	190,796
Greece	15,979	167,519	184,201	51,084	9,119	8,973	47,608	85,969
Ireland ⁵	388,416	339,065	146,181	211,234	10,973	19,789	48,362	32,966
Italy	651,893	2,045,877	1,109,524	455,315	68,028	57,661	185,491	214,111
Netherlands	26,758	48,262	43,718	26,948	7,150	14,860	52,277	30,606
Norway-Sweden	321,281	440,039	161,469	165,780	8,700	20,765	44,632	32,600
Norway	95,015	190,505	66,395	68,531	4,740	10,100	22,935	15,484
Sweden	226,266	249,534	95,074	97,249	3,960	10,665	21,697	17,116
Poland	96,720 ²³	²³	4,813 ²³	227,734	17,026	7,571	9,985	53,539
Portugal	27,508	69,149	89,732	29,994	3,329	7,423	19,588	76,065
Romania	12,750	53,008	13,311	67,646	3,871	1,076	1,039	2,531
Soviet Union	505,290 ²³	1,597,306 ²³	921,201 ²³	61,742	1,370	571	671	2,465
Spain	8,731	27,935	68,611	28,958	3,258	2,898	7,894	44,659
Switzerland	31,179	34,922	23,091	29,676	5,512	10,547	17,675	18,453
United Kingdom ⁵⁻⁸	271,538	525,950	341,408	339,570	31,572	139,306	202,824	213,822
Yugoslavia	9	9	1,888 ⁹	49,064	5,835	1,576	8,225	20,381
Other Europe	282	39,945	31,400	42,619	11,949	8,486	16,350	11,604
Asia	74,862	323,543	247,236	112,059	16,595	37,028	153,249	427,642
China ¹⁰	14,799	20,605	21,278	29,907	4,928	16,709	9,657	34,764
Hong Kong	11	11	11	11	11	11	15,541 ¹¹	75,007
India	68	4,713	2,082	1,886	496	1,761	1,973	27,189
Iran	12	12	12	241 ¹²	195	1,380	3,388	10,339
Israel	13	13	13	13	13	476 ¹³	25,476	29,602
Japan	25,942	129,797	83,837	33,462	1,948	1,555	46,250	39,988
Korea	15	15	15	15	15	107 ¹⁵	6,231	34,526
Philippines	16	16	16	16	528 ¹⁶	4,691	19,307	98,376
Turkey	30,425	157,369	134,066	33,824	1,065	798	3,519	10,142
Vietnam	11	11	11	11	11	11	335 ¹¹	4,340
Other Asia	3,628	11,059	5,973	12,739	7,435	9,551	21,572	63,369
America	38,972	361,888	1,143,671	1,516,716	160,037	354,804	996,944	1,716,374
Canada & Newfoundland ¹⁷⁻¹⁸	3,311	179,226	742,185	924,515	108,527	171,718	377,952	413,310
Mexico ¹⁸	971 ¹⁹	49,642	219,004	459,287	22,319	60,589	299,811	453,937
Caribbean	33,066	107,548	123,424	74,899	15,502	49,725	123,091	470,213
Cuba	12	12	12	15,901 ¹²	9,571	26,313	78,948	208,536
Dominican Republic	20	20	20	20	1,150 ²⁰	5,627	9,897	93,292
Haiti	20	20	20	20	191 ²⁰	911	4,442	34,499
Jamaica	21	21	21	21	21	21	8,869 ²¹	74,906
Other Caribbean	33,066	107,548	123,424	58,998	4,590	16,874	20,935 ²¹	58,980
Central America	549	8,192	17,159	15,769	5,861	21,665	44,751	101,330
El Salvador	20	20	20	20	673 ²⁰	5,132	5,895	14,992
Other Central America	549	8,192	17,159	15,769	5,188	16,533	38,856	86,338
South America	1,075	17,280	41,899	42,215	7,803	21,831	91,628	257,940
Argentina	20	20	20	20	1,349 ²⁰	3,338	19,486	49,721
Colombia	20	20	20	20	1,223 ²⁰	3,858	18,048	72,028
Ecuador	20	20	20	20	337 ²⁰	2,417	9,841	36,780
Other South America	1,075	17,280	41,899	42,215 ²²	4,894	12,218	44,253	99,411
Other America	22	22	22	31 ²²	25	29,276	59,711	19,644
Africa	350	7,368	8,443	6,286	1,750	7,367	14,092	28,954
Oceania	3,965	13,024	13,427	8,726	2,483	14,551	12,976	25,122
Not specified ²²	14,063	33,523 ²⁵	1,147	228	-	142	12,491	93

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 2. IMMIGRATION BY REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1820 - 2000—Continued**

Region and country of last residence ¹	1971 - 80	1981 - 90	1991 - 2000	1997	1998	1999	2000	Total 181 years, 1820-2000
All countries	4,493,314	7,338,062	9,095,417	798,378	654,451	646,568	849,807	66,089,431
Europe	800,368	761,550	1,359,737	122,358	92,911	94,373	133,362	38,460,797
Austria-Hungary	16,028	24,885	24,882	1,964	1,435	1,518	2,024	4,367,664
Austria	9,478	18,340	15,500	1,044	610	727	997	1,844,446 ³
Hungary	6,550	6,545	9,382	920	825	791	1,027	1,677,142 ³
Belgium	5,329	7,066	7,090	633	557	522	827	217,646
Czechoslovakia	6,023	7,227	9,816	1,169	931	895	1,415	155,617
Denmark	4,439	5,370	6,079	507	447	387	556	376,491
France	25,069	32,353	35,820	3,007	2,961	2,664	4,093	823,407
Germany	74,414	91,961	92,606	6,941	6,923	7,442	12,372	7,176,071
Greece	92,369	38,377	26,759	1,483	1,183	4,061	5,138	730,663
Ireland ⁵	11,490	31,969	56,950	932	907	806	1,279	4,782,083
Italy	129,368	67,254	62,722	2,190	1,966	1,681	2,695	5,435,830
Netherlands	10,492	12,238	13,308	1,197	1,036	881	1,466	387,540
Norway-Sweden	10,472	15,182	17,893	1,517	1,344	1,284	1,977	2,163,847
Norway	3,941	4,164	5,178	391	327	358	513	758,897 ⁶
Sweden	6,531	11,018	12,715	1,126	1,017	926	1,464	1,259,523 ⁶
Poland	37,234	83,252	163,747	11,729	8,202	8,487	9,773	770,083
Portugal	101,710	40,431	22,916	1,690	1,523	1,078	1,402	524,177
Romania	12,393	30,857	51,203	5,276	4,833	5,417	6,521	256,044
Soviet Union	38,961	57,677	462,874	48,238	28,984	32,740	43,807	3,906,580
Spain	39,141	20,433	17,157	1,607	1,185	1,074	1,406	302,305
Switzerland	8,235	8,849	11,841	1,302	1,090	885	1,349	371,280
United Kingdom ⁵⁻⁸	137,374	159,173	151,866	11,950	10,170	8,663	14,532	5,271,016
Yugoslavia	30,540	18,762	66,557	9,913	7,264	7,077	12,213	202,828
Other Europe	9,287	8,234	57,651	9,113	9,970	6,811	8,517	239,625
Asia	1,588,178	2,738,157	2,795,672	258,561	212,799	193,061	255,860	8,814,852
China ¹⁰	124,326	346,747	419,114	44,356	41,034	29,579	41,861	1,333,490
Hong Kong	113,467	98,215	109,779	7,974	7,379	6,533	7,199	412,009 ¹¹
India	164,134	250,786	363,060	36,092	34,288	28,355	39,072	818,776
Iran	45,136	116,172	68,556	6,291	4,945	5,042	6,505	245,407 ¹²
Israel	37,713	44,273	39,397	2,951	2,546	2,538	3,893	176,937 ¹³
Japan	49,775	47,085	67,942	5,640	5,647	4,770	7,730	530,186 ¹⁴
Korea	267,638	333,746	164,166	13,626	13,691	12,301	15,214	806,414 ¹⁵
Philippines	354,987	548,764	503,945	47,842	33,176	29,590	40,587	1,530,598 ¹⁶
Turkey	13,399	23,233	38,212	4,596	4,016	2,472	2,713	450,539
Vietnam	172,820	280,782	286,145	37,121	16,534	19,164	25,340	744,422 ¹¹
Other Asia	244,783	648,354	735,356	52,072	49,543	52,717	65,746	1,766,074
America	1,982,735	3,615,225	4,486,806	359,619	298,156	312,324	397,201	17,554,354
Canada & Newfoundland ¹⁷⁻¹⁸	169,939	156,938	191,987	15,788	14,295	12,948	21,475	4,487,572
Mexico ¹⁸	640,294	1,655,843	2,249,421	146,680	130,661	146,436	171,748	6,138,150
Caribbean	741,126	872,051	978,787	101,095	72,948	70,386	85,875	3,681,964
Cuba	264,863	144,578	169,322	29,913	15,415	13,289	19,322	918,032 ¹²
Dominican Republic	148,135	252,035	335,251	24,966	20,267	17,745	17,441	845,387 ²⁰
Haiti	56,335	138,379	179,644	14,941	13,316	16,459	22,004	414,401 ²⁰
Jamaica	137,577	208,148	169,227	17,585	14,819	14,449	15,654	598,727 ²¹
Other Caribbean	134,216	128,911	125,343	13,690	9,131	8,444	11,454	905,417
Central America	134,640	468,088	526,915	43,451	35,368	41,441	62,708	1,346,543
El Salvador	34,436	213,539	215,798	17,741	14,329	14,416	22,332	490,465 ²⁰
Other Central America ..	100,204	254,549	311,117	25,710	21,039	27,025	40,376	856,078
South America	295,741	461,847	539,656	52,600	44,884	41,112	55,392	1,789,945
Argentina	29,897	27,327	26,644	2,055	1,649	1,578	2,485	157,762 ²⁰
Colombia	77,347	122,849	128,499	12,795	11,618	9,769	14,191	423,852 ²⁰
Ecuador	50,077	56,315	76,592	7,763	6,840	8,903	7,658	232,359 ²⁰
Other South America	138,420	255,356	307,921	29,987	24,777	20,862	31,058	975,972
Other America	995	458	40	5	-	1	3	110,180
Africa	80,779	176,893	354,939	44,668	37,494	33,740	40,969	689,084
Oceania	41,242	45,205	55,845	4,855	4,403	4,299	5,962	260,467
Not specified ²²	12	1,032	42,418	8,317	8,688	8,771	16,453	309,877

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 2. IMMIGRATION BY REGION AND SELECTED COUNTRY OF LAST RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1820 - 2000—Continued**

- ¹ Data for years prior to 1906 relate to country whence alien came; data from 1906-79 and 1984-99 are for country of last permanent residence; and data for 1980-83 refer to country of birth. Because of changes in boundaries, changes in lists of countries, and lack of data for specified countries for various periods, data for certain countries, especially for the total period 1820-1999, are not comparable throughout. Data for specified countries are included with countries to which they belonged prior to World War I.
- ² Data for Austria and Hungary not reported until 1861.
- ³ Data for Austria and Hungary not reported separately for all years during the period.
- ⁴ No data available for Czechoslovakia until 1920.
- ⁵ Prior to 1926, data for Northern Ireland included in Ireland.
- ⁶ Data for Norway and Sweden not reported separately until 1871.
- ⁷ No data available for Romania until 1880.
- ⁸ Since 1925, data for United Kingdom refer to England, Scotland, Wales, and Northern Ireland.
- ⁹ In 1920, a separate enumeration was made for the Kingdom of Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes. Since 1922, the Serb, Croat, and Slovene Kingdom recorded as Yugoslavia.
- ¹⁰ Beginning in 1957, China includes Taiwan. As of January 1, 1979, the United States has recognized the People's Republic of China.
- ¹¹ Data not reported separately until 1952.
- ¹² Data not reported separately until 1925.
- ¹³ Data not reported separately until 1949.
- ¹⁴ No data available for Japan until 1861.
- ¹⁵ Data not reported separately until 1948.
- ¹⁶ Prior to 1934, Philippines recorded as insular travel.
- ¹⁷ Prior to 1920, Canada and Newfoundland recorded as British North America. From 1820-98, figures include all British North America possessions.
- ¹⁸ Land arrivals not completely enumerated until 1908.
- ¹⁹ No data available for Mexico from 1886-94.
- ²⁰ Data not reported separately until 1932.
- ²¹ Data for Jamaica not collected until 1953. In prior years, consolidated under British West Indies, which is included in "Other Caribbean."
- ²² Included in countries "Not specified" until 1925.
- ²³ From 1899-1919, data for Poland included in Austria-Hungary, Germany, and the Soviet Union.
- ²⁴ From 1938-45, data for Austria included in Germany.
- ²⁵ Includes 32,897 persons returning in 1906 to their homes in the United States.

NOTE: From 1820-67, figures represent alien passengers arrived at seaports; from 1868-91 and 1895-97, immigrant aliens arrived; from 1892-94 and 1898-1999, immigrant aliens admitted for permanent residence. From 1892-1903, aliens entering by cabin class were not counted as immigrants. Land arrivals were not completely enumerated until 1908. For recent changes in geographic definitions for Hong Kong, and the former Czechoslovakia, Soviet Union, and Yugoslavia, see Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

See Glossary for fiscal year definitions. For this table, fiscal year 1843 covers 9 months ending September 1843; fiscal years 1832 and 1850 cover 15 months ending December 31 of the respective years; and fiscal year 1868 covers 6 months ending June 30, 1868.

- Represents zero.

TABLE 3. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1990-2000

Region and country of birth	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
All countries	1,536,483	1,827,167	973,977	904,292	804,416	720,461	915,900	798,378	654,451	646,568	849,807
Europe	112,401	135,234	145,392	158,254	160,916	128,185	147,581	119,871	90,793	92,672	132,480
Albania	78	142	682	1,400	1,489	1,420	4,007	4,375	4,221	3,699	4,756
Andorra	5	1	2	2	-	-	5	3	-	-	5
Armenia	X	X	6,145	6,287	3,984	1,992	2,441	2,094	1,146	1,257	1,259
Austria	675	589	701	549	499	518	554	487	291	231	409
Azerbaijan	X	X	1,640	2,943	2,844	1,885	1,991	1,450	504	746	1,054
Belarus	X	X	3,233	4,702	5,420	3,791	4,268	3,062	981	1,326	2,207
Belgium	682	525	780	657	516	569	651	554	421	428	679
Bosnia-Herzegovina	X	X	15	159	521	4,061	6,499	6,392	4,212	5,442	11,828
Bulgaria	428	623	1,049	1,029	981	1,797	2,066	2,774	3,735	4,172	4,925
Croatia	X	X	77	370	412	608	810	720	549	584	1,078
Czech Republic	X	X	X	-	11	72	165	186	144	145	244
Czechoslovakia ¹	1,412	1,156	1,181	990	642	599	561	395	342	319	671
Denmark	666	601	764	735	606	551	608	429	457	368	541
Estonia	20	23	194	191	272	205	280	285	128	142	241
Finland	369	333	525	544	471	476	602	376	314	309	378
France	2,849	2,450	3,288	2,864	2,715	2,505	3,079	2,568	2,352	2,209	3,465
Georgia	X	X	426	429	652	710	1,157	812	295	311	495
Germany	X	6,509	9,888	7,312	6,992	6,237	6,748	5,723	5,472	5,201	7,638
Germany, East	105	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Germany, West	7,388	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Gibraltar	1	1	4	5	6	7	6	3	1	4	5
Greece	2,742	2,079	1,858	1,884	1,440	1,309	1,452	1,049	863	727	970
Hungary	1,655	1,534	1,304	1,091	880	900	1,183	949	809	698	1,025
Iceland	107	117	156	164	140	125	182	119	111	79	129
Ireland	10,333	4,767	12,226	13,590	17,256	5,315	1,731	1,001	944	812	1,315
Italy	3,287	2,619	2,592	2,487	2,305	2,231	2,501	1,982	1,831	1,530	2,489
Kazakhstan	X	X	506	628	750	840	1,089	1,025	540	723	1,509
Kyrgyzstan	X	X	134	124	226	209	280	287	111	189	396
Latvia	45	86	419	668	762	651	736	615	370	444	552
Liechtenstein	3	3	1	3	-	2	1	1	1	1	1
Lithuania	67	157	353	529	663	767	1,080	812	1,191	1,149	1,354
Luxembourg	31	21	25	14	24	15	32	28	21	11	26
Macedonia	X	X	X	X	367	666	863	783	785	571	794
Malta	77	83	85	52	75	72	52	54	59	43	55
Moldova	X	X	1,705	2,646	2,260	1,856	1,849	1,347	562	754	1,273
Monaco	2	5	4	-	3	5	4	4	6	5	12
Netherlands	1,424	1,283	1,586	1,430	1,239	1,196	1,423	1,059	917	777	1,351
Norway	524	486	665	608	459	420	478	372	298	308	462
Poland	20,537	19,199	25,504	27,846	28,048	13,824	15,772	12,038	8,469	8,798	10,114
Portugal	4,035	4,524	2,748	2,081	2,169	2,615	2,984	1,665	1,536	1,071	1,372
Romania	4,647	8,096	6,500	5,601	3,444	4,871	5,801	5,545	5,112	5,686	6,879
Russia	X	X	8,857	12,079	15,249	14,560	19,668	16,632	11,529	12,347	17,110
San Marino	-	1	-	2	-	2	3	-	-	-	-
Slovak Republic	X	X	X	10	221	503	663	629	491	493	549
Slovenia	X	X	8	50	67	65	77	62	57	58	76
Soviet Union ²	25,524	56,980	4,653	7,369	6,954	6,784	3,513	2,944	6,336	5,058	3,332
Spain	1,886	1,849	1,631	1,388	1,418	1,321	1,659	1,241	1,043	874	1,264
Sweden	1,196	1,080	1,463	1,393	1,140	976	1,251	958	823	822	1,269
Switzerland	845	696	1,023	972	877	881	1,006	1,063	828	649	1,039
Tajikistan	X	X	186	336	568	706	634	311	66	104	157
Turkmenistan	X	X	34	48	68	84	121	99	44	65	100
Ukraine	X	X	14,383	18,316	21,010	17,432	21,079	15,696	7,448	10,123	15,810
United Kingdom ..	15,928	13,903	19,973	18,783	16,326	12,427	13,624	10,708	9,018	7,690	13,385
Uzbekistan	X	X	1,712	2,664	3,435	3,645	4,687	3,312	601	1,223	1,659
Yugoslavia ²	2,828	2,713	2,504	2,230	2,038	2,907	3,605	2,793	2,408	1,897	2,774
Asia	338,581	358,533	356,955	358,047	292,589	267,931	307,807	265,810	219,696	199,411	265,400
Afghanistan	3,187	2,879	2,685	2,964	2,344	1,424	1,263	1,129	831	878	1,012
Bahrain	58	58	81	93	87	78	76	80	53	70	106
Bangladesh	4,252	10,676	3,740	3,291	3,434	6,072	8,221	8,681	8,621	6,046	7,215
Bhutan	1	2	1	2	2	2	8	6	6	4	3
Brunei	16	15	17	26	14	14	20	6	19	16	16

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 3. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1990-2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Burma	1,120	946	816	849	938	1,233	1,320	1,085	1,371	1,204	1,201
Cambodia	5,179	3,251	2,573	1,639	1,404	1,492	1,568	1,638	1,439	1,400	2,142
China, People's Rep.	31,815	33,025	38,907	65,578	53,985	35,463	41,728	41,147	36,884	32,204	45,652
Cyprus	316	243	262	229	204	188	187	148	119	107	162
Hong Kong	9,393	10,427	10,452	9,161	7,731	7,249	7,834	5,577	5,275	4,917	5,419
India	30,667	45,064	36,755	40,121	34,921	34,748	44,859	38,071	36,482	30,237	42,046
Indonesia	3,498	2,223	2,916	1,767	1,367	1,020	1,084	906	1,020	1,187	1,774
Iran	24,977	19,569	13,233	14,841	11,422	9,201	11,084	9,642	7,883	7,203	8,519
Iraq	1,756	1,494	4,111	4,072	6,025	5,596	5,481	3,244	2,220	3,372	5,134
Israel	4,664	4,181	5,104	4,494	3,425	2,523	3,126	2,448	1,991	1,858	2,806
Japan	5,734	5,049	11,028	6,908	6,093	4,837	6,011	5,097	5,138	4,217	7,094
Jordan	4,449	4,259	4,036	4,741	3,990	3,649	4,445	4,171	3,255	3,274	3,909
Korea	32,301	26,518	19,359	18,026	16,011	16,047	18,185	14,239	14,268	12,840	15,830
Kuwait	691	861	989	1,129	1,065	961	1,202	837	749	803	1,018
Laos	10,446	9,950	8,696	7,285	5,089	3,936	2,847	1,935	1,612	854	1,380
Lebanon	5,634	6,009	5,838	5,465	4,319	3,884	4,382	3,568	3,290	3,040	3,674
Macau	301	267	320	334	287	373	453	277	276	294	270
Malaysia	1,867	1,860	2,235	2,026	1,480	1,223	1,414	1,051	1,011	994	1,556
Maldives	-	1	-	2	-	1	1	1	1	-	1
Mongolia	-	2	6	8	21	17	17	22	26	41	46
Nepal	184	174	212	257	257	312	431	447	476	453	617
Oman	9	5	24	21	32	31	25	36	25	40	51
Pakistan	9,729	20,355	10,214	8,927	8,698	9,774	12,519	12,967	13,094	13,496	14,535
Philippines	63,756	63,596	61,022	63,457	53,535	50,984	55,876	49,117	34,466	31,026	42,474
Qatar	33	56	59	88	51	60	79	70	60	78	97
Saudi Arabia	518	552	584	616	668	788	1,164	815	703	763	1,063
Singapore	620	535	774	798	542	399	561	460	389	358	671
Sri Lanka	976	1,377	1,081	1,109	989	960	1,277	1,128	1,085	903	1,123
Syria	2,972	2,837	2,940	2,933	2,426	2,362	3,072	2,269	2,840	2,056	2,374
Taiwan	15,151	13,274	16,344	14,329	10,032	9,377	13,401	6,745	7,097	6,714	9,040
Thailand	8,914	7,397	7,090	6,654	5,489	5,136	4,310	3,094	3,102	2,381	3,785
Turkey	2,468	2,528	2,488	2,204	1,840	2,947	3,657	3,145	2,682	2,219	2,613
United Arab Emirates	192	164	172	196	286	317	343	329	329	310	436
Vietnam	48,792	55,307	77,735	59,614	41,345	41,752	42,067	38,519	17,649	20,393	26,747
Yemen	X	1,547	2,056	1,793	741	1,501	2,209	1,663	1,859	1,161	1,789
Yemen (Aden)	218	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Yemen (Sanaa)	1,727	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Africa	35,893	36,179	27,086	27,783	26,712	42,456	52,889	47,791	40,660	36,700	44,731
Algeria	302	269	407	360	364	650	1,059	717	804	789	907
Angola	141	132	107	92	75	81	125	75	66	57	88
Benin	27	24	10	21	18	23	38	48	47	59	62
Botswana	21	3	19	13	13	16	21	18	12	5	13
Burkina Faso	8	8	16	11	16	17	17	13	14	17	48
Burundi	5	16	11	13	14	26	36	59	51	16	28
Cameroon	380	452	236	262	305	506	803	898	691	826	865
Cape Verde	907	973	757	936	810	968	1,012	920	814	909	1,083
Cen. African Rep.	14	8	8	15	7	2	27	10	6	3	4
Chad	8	9	4	3	9	11	13	18	8	24	23
Comoros	-	-	2	3	1	2	3	3	-	-	3
Congo, Dem. Rep. ³	256	238	196	233	237	355	433	414	155	88	124
Congo, Republic ³	9	22	9	10	11	11	23	31	118	190	191
Cote d'Ivoire	184	347	259	250	268	289	432	430	364	305	439
Djibouti	22	21	14	14	10	25	19	18	15	6	14
Egypt	4,117	5,602	3,576	3,556	3,392	5,648	6,186	5,031	4,831	4,429	4,461
Equatorial Guinea	5	5	2	1	1	1	1	2	7	1	5
Eritrea	X	X	X	85	468	992	828	948	641	326	383
Ethiopia	4,336	5,127	4,602	5,191	3,887	5,960	6,086	5,904	4,205	4,272	4,061
Gabon	11	11	9	5	11	13	29	24	21	4	18
Gambia, The	170	159	93	76	93	153	207	176	227	183	232
Ghana	4,466	3,330	1,867	1,604	1,458	3,152	6,606	5,105	4,458	3,714	4,344
Guinea	67	84	104	102	97	152	220	158	46	6	3
Guinea-Bissau	8	14	8	1	-	2	3	24	165	134	204

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 3. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1990-2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Kenya	1,297	1,185	953	1,065	1,017	1,419	1,666	1,387	1,696	1,412	2,210
Lesotho	16	4	15	5	8	10	11	6	4	5	9
Liberia	2,004	1,292	999	1,050	1,762	1,929	2,206	2,216	1,617	1,358	1,575
Libya	268	314	286	343	166	216	250	171	166	156	181
Madagascar	37	23	41	32	27	42	43	33	42	26	33
Malawi	48	68	72	53	55	56	58	72	39	41	61
Mali	34	63	55	51	55	94	124	97	83	72	109
Mauritania	3	9	2	9	10	22	26	51	78	24	88
Mauritius	67	64	61	83	65	67	84	44	37	38	54
Morocco	1,200	1,601	1,316	1,176	1,074	1,726	1,783	2,359	2,410	2,971	3,626
Mozambique	100	74	54	56	44	50	59	48	39	31	41
Namibia	23	14	29	37	24	35	30	22	24	13	30
Niger	3	1	2	4	8	10	102	837	283	12	30
Nigeria	8,843	7,912	4,551	4,448	3,950	6,818	10,221	7,038	7,746	6,769	7,853
Reunion	-	-	1	3	-	2	3	1	-	-	-
Rwanda	6	12	10	25	16	41	118	170	52	98	73
Sao Tome and Principe	1	4	7	-	1	6	4	2	3	6	8
Senegal	537	869	337	178	213	506	641	435	373	370	555
Seychelles	21	32	30	23	22	18	16	15	5	10	18
Sierra Leone	1,290	951	693	690	698	919	1,918	1,884	955	976	1,590
Somalia	277	458	500	1,088	1,737	3,487	2,170	4,005	2,629	1,710	2,465
South Africa	1,990	1,854	2,516	2,197	2,144	2,560	2,966	2,093	1,904	1,580	2,833
St. Helena	1	2	1	4	-	3	1	-	-	-	1
Sudan	306	679	675	714	651	1,645	2,172	2,030	1,161	1,354	1,538
Swaziland	11	5	8	10	7	20	16	11	8	8	12
Tanzania	635	500	352	426	357	524	553	399	339	316	481
Togo	30	33	45	41	52	83	157	222	246	254	388
Tunisia	226	275	216	167	149	189	228	163	200	150	308
Uganda	674	538	437	415	391	383	422	400	355	250	423
Western Sahara	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	-	1
Zambia	209	228	210	225	198	222	226	262	213	143	211
Zimbabwe	272	261	296	308	246	299	385	274	186	184	323
Oceania	6,182	6,236	5,169	4,902	4,592	4,695	5,309	4,344	3,935	3,676	5,136
American Samoa	2	2	-	1	-	1	2	-	4	11	7
Australia	1,754	1,678	2,238	2,320	2,049	1,751	1,950	1,630	1,147	1,112	2,059
Christmas Island	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Cook Islands	5	8	6	4	2	2	5	4	1	3	3
Fiji	1,353	1,349	807	854	1,007	1,491	1,847	1,549	1,717	1,601	1,487
French Polynesia	29	31	24	28	19	25	15	21	14	9	14
Kiribati	5	13	15	4	4	5	6	5	4	-	3
Marshall Islands	3	2	4	2	1	5	3	3	6	3	3
Micronesia, Federated States	7	6	11	11	7	7	5	2	4	2	5
Nauru	6	1	2	1	3	2	2	-	-	-	3
New Caledonia	8	3	8	2	7	3	11	-	4	3	3
New Zealand	829	793	967	1,052	918	727	800	655	628	527	972
Niue	-	1	-	1	2	1	-	3	1	3	-
Northern Mariana Islands	5	6	3	3	-	4	4	3	3	7	6
Palau	84	70	47	42	21	9	9	8	6	2	3
Papua New Guinea	14	20	17	15	22	13	17	15	10	14	22
Pitcairn Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Samoa ⁴	690	561	314	200	227	237	215	138	147	91	184
Solomon Islands	7	2	1	3	5	2	2	1	5	2	7
Tonga	1,375	1,685	703	348	293	403	416	303	230	283	351
Tuvalu	4	-	-	3	-	2	-	-	1	-	2
Vanuatu	2	5	1	-	-	1	-	1	2	2	2
Wallis and Futuna Islands	-	-	1	6	5	4	-	1	1	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 3. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEARS 1990-2000—Continued

Region and country of birth	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
North America	957,558	1,210,981	384,047	301,380	272,226	231,526	340,540	307,488	252,996	271,365	344,805
Canada	16,812	13,504	15,205	17,156	16,068	12,932	15,825	11,609	10,190	8,864	16,210
Greenland	3	8	2	3	1	2	2	1	-	-	-
Mexico	679,068	946,167	213,802	126,561	111,398	89,932	163,572	146,865	131,575	147,573	173,919
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
United States	122	70	66	60	47	57	51	38	31	29	35
Caribbean	115,351	140,139	97,413	99,438	104,804	96,788	116,801	105,299	75,521	71,683	88,198
Anguilla	41	56	46	23	31	26	36	19	26	20	27
Antigua-Barbuda	1,319	944	619	554	438	374	406	393	297	456	431
Aruba	83	56	62	36	24	27	28	26	23	14	25
Bahamas, The	1,378	1,062	641	686	589	585	768	641	602	401	768
Barbados	1,745	1,460	1,091	1,184	897	734	1,043	829	726	720	783
Bermuda	203	146	153	156	118	111	103	75	63	63	72
British Virgin Islands	105	137	174	166	137	98	87	93	55	76	67
Cayman Islands	53	23	40	16	30	26	24	35	28	18	31
Cuba	10,645	10,349	11,791	13,666	14,727	17,937	26,466	33,587	17,375	14,132	20,831
Dominica	963	982	809	683	507	591	797	746	283	41	96
Dominican Rep.	42,195	41,405	41,969	45,420	51,189	38,512	39,604	27,053	20,387	17,864	17,536
Grenada	1,294	979	848	827	595	583	787	755	655	667	655
Guadeloupe	54	34	50	49	41	48	52	52	30	54	51
Haiti	20,324	47,527	11,002	10,094	13,333	14,021	18,386	15,057	13,449	16,532	22,364
Jamaica	25,013	23,828	18,915	17,241	14,349	16,398	19,089	17,840	15,146	14,733	16,000
Martinique	32	25	25	17	20	11	23	20	20	23	20
Montserrat	172	143	104	102	69	83	99	99	65	80	71
Netherlands Antilles	80	40	37	65	48	58	76	43	61	35	53
Puerto Rico	2	5	1	1	-	1	2	1	2	3	3
St. Kitts-Nevis ...	896	830	626	544	370	360	357	377	405	463	504
St. Lucia	833	766	654	634	449	403	582	531	509	529	601
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	973	808	687	657	524	349	606	581	414	444	500
Trinidad and Tobago	6,740	8,407	7,008	6,577	6,292	5,424	7,344	6,409	4,852	4,283	6,660
Turks and Caicos Islands	206	121	59	39	26	27	35	37	46	27	46
U.S. Virgin Is. ...	2	6	2	1	1	1	1	-	2	5	3
Central America	146,202	111,093	57,558	58,162	39,908	31,814	44,289	43,676	35,679	43,216	66,443
Belize	3,867	2,377	1,020	1,035	772	644	786	664	496	572	760
Costa Rica	2,840	2,341	1,480	1,368	1,205	1,062	1,504	1,330	1,204	886	1,324
El Salvador	80,173	47,351	26,191	26,818	17,644	11,744	17,903	17,969	14,590	14,606	22,578
Guatemala	32,303	25,527	10,521	11,870	7,389	6,213	8,763	7,785	7,759	7,308	9,970
Honduras	12,024	11,451	6,552	7,306	5,265	5,496	5,870	7,616	6,463	4,809	5,939
Nicaragua	11,562	17,842	8,949	7,086	5,255	4,408	6,903	6,331	3,521	13,389	24,029
Panama	3,433	4,204	2,845	2,679	2,378	2,247	2,560	1,981	1,646	1,846	-
South America	85,819	79,934	55,308	53,921	47,377	45,666	61,769	52,877	45,394	41,585	56,074
Argentina	5,437	3,889	3,877	2,824	2,318	1,762	2,456	1,964	1,511	1,393	2,331
Bolivia	2,843	3,006	1,510	1,545	1,404	1,332	1,913	1,734	1,513	1,448	1,772
Brazil	4,191	8,133	4,755	4,604	4,491	4,558	5,891	4,583	4,401	3,902	6,959
Chile	4,049	2,842	1,937	1,778	1,640	1,534	1,706	1,443	1,240	1,092	1,712
Colombia	24,189	19,702	13,201	12,819	10,847	10,838	14,283	13,004	11,836	9,966	14,498
Ecuador	12,476	9,958	7,286	7,324	5,906	6,397	8,321	7,780	6,852	8,904	7,685
Falkland Islands ..	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
French Guiana	2	2	2	6	10	4	5	6	1	5	13
Guyana	11,362	11,666	9,064	8,384	7,662	7,362	9,489	7,257	3,963	3,300	5,746
Paraguay	704	538	514	668	789	559	615	304	275	217	342
Peru	15,726	16,237	9,868	10,447	9,177	8,066	12,871	10,853	10,154	8,438	9,613
Suriname	240	178	238	211	190	213	211	191	143	141	257
Uruguay	1,457	1,161	716	568	516	414	540	429	368	271	430
Venezuela	3,142	2,622	2,340	2,743	2,427	2,627	3,468	3,328	3,136	2,508	4,716
Born on board ship	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown or not rep.	49	70	18	5	4	2	5	197	977	1,159	1,181

¹ Prior to 1993, data include independent republics; beginning in 1993, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ² Prior to 1992, data include independent republics; beginning in 1992, data are for unknown republic only. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions. ³ In May 1997 Zaire was formally recognized as the Democratic Republic of the Congo; the Congo is referred to by its conventional name, the Republic of the Congo. ⁴ In August 1997 Western Samoa was formally recognized as Samoa (Independent State). - Represents zero. X Not applicable.

**TABLE 4. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEARS 1993-2000**

Type and class of admission	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Total, all immigrants	904,292	804,416	720,461	915,900	798,378	654,451	646,568	849,807
New arrivals	536,294	490,429	380,291	421,405	380,719	357,037	401,775	407,402
Adjustments	367,998	313,987	340,170	494,495	417,659	297,414	244,793	442,405
Total, IRCA legalization	24,278	6,022	4,267	4,635	2,548	955	8	421
Residents since 1982	18,717	4,436	3,124	3,286	1,439	954	4	413
Special Agricultural Workers	5,561	1,586	1,143	1,349	1,109	1	4	8
Total, non-legalization	880,014	798,394	716,194	911,265	795,830	653,496	646,560	849,386
Preference immigrants	373,788	335,252	323,458	411,673	303,938	268,997	273,700	342,304
Family-sponsored immigrants	226,776	211,961	238,122	294,174	213,331	191,480	216,883	235,280
Unmarried sons/daughters of U.S. citizens ¹	12,819	13,181	15,182	20,909	22,536	17,717	22,392	27,707
Spouses of alien residents ¹	128,308	115,000	144,535	182,834	113,681	88,488	108,007	124,595
Married sons/daughters of U.S. citizens ²	23,385	22,191	20,876	25,452	21,943	22,257	24,040	22,833
Siblings of U.S. citizens ²	62,264	61,589	57,529	64,979	55,171	63,018	62,444	60,145
Employment-based immigrants ^{2,3}	147,012	123,291	85,336	117,499	90,607	77,517	56,817	107,024
Priority workers	21,114	21,053	17,339	27,501	21,810	21,408	14,898	27,706
Professionals with advanced degrees or aliens of exceptional ability	29,468	14,432	10,475	18,462	17,059	14,384	8,581	20,304
Skilled workers, professionals, other workers	87,689	76,956	50,245	62,756	42,596	34,317	27,966	49,736
Special immigrants	8,158	10,406	6,737	7,844	7,781	6,584	5,086	9,052
Employment creation	583	444	540	936	1,361	824	286	226
Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens ⁴	255,059	249,764	220,360	300,430	321,008	283,368	258,584	347,870
Spouses	145,843	145,247	123,238	169,760	170,263	151,172	127,988	197,525
Children ⁵	46,788	48,147	48,740	63,971	76,631	70,472	69,113	82,726
Orphans	7,348	8,200	9,384	11,316	12,596	14,867	16,037	18,120
Parents	62,428	56,370	48,382	66,699	74,114	61,724	61,483	67,619
Refugees and asylees	127,343	121,434	114,664	128,565	112,158	52,193	42,852	65,941
Refugee adjustments	115,539	115,451	106,827	118,528	102,052	44,645	39,495	59,083
Asylee adjustments	11,804	5,983	7,837	10,037	10,106	7,548	3,357	6,858
Other immigrants	123,824	91,944	57,712	70,597	58,726	48,938	71,424	93,271
Amerasians (P.L. 100-202)	11,116	2,822	939	956	738	346	239	943
Cancellation of removal ⁶	1,468	2,220	3,168	5,812	4,628	428	9,032	12,349
Children born abroad to alien residents	2,030	1,883	1,894	1,660	1,432	902	978	1,009
Cuban/Haitian entrants (P.L. 99-603)	62	47	42	29	10	2	2	2
Diversity	X	X	40,301	58,245	49,360	45,499	47,571	50,945
Diversity transition	33,468	41,056	6,944	545	14	X	X	X
Legalization dependents	55,344	34,074	277	184	64	21	-	55
Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA), Sec. 202 entrants (P.L. 105-100)	X	X	X	X	X	1	11,267	23,641
Nationals of adversely affected countries (P.L. 99-603)	10	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Natives of underrepresented countries (P.L. 100-658) ..	2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Parolees, Polish/Hungarian (P.L. 104-208)	X	X	X	X	20	64	105	39
Parolees, Soviet/Indochinese (P.L. 101-267)	15,772	8,253	3,086	2,269	1,844	1,225	1,827	3,163
Registered nurses and their families (P.L. 101-238)	2,178	304	69	16	1	1	-	1
Registry, entry prior to 1/1/72	947	671	469	362	195	176	166	269
Other	1,427	614	523	519	420	274	237	855

¹ Includes children.

² Includes spouses and children.

³ Includes immigrants issued third preference, sixth preference, and special immigrant visas prior to fiscal year 1992.

⁴ Effective in fiscal year 1992, under the Immigration Act of 1990, children born abroad to alien residents are included with immediate relatives of U.S. citizens for calculating the annual limit of family-sponsored preference immigrants.

⁵ Includes orphans.

⁶ Was suspension of deportation prior to April 1, 1997; changed by the implementation of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (IIRIRA) of 1996.

- Represents zero. X Not applicable.

**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives
Total, all immigrants	849,807	657,132	192,675	407,402	296,280	111,122	442,405	360,852	81,553
Total, subject to world-wide numerical limits¹	393,304	232,319	160,985	245,548	135,099	110,449	147,756	97,220	50,536
Family-sponsored preferences	235,280	158,508	76,772	175,431	105,332	70,099	59,849	53,176	6,673
Legalization dependents	55	54	1	11	11	-	44	43	1
Employment-based preferences	107,024	50,135	56,889	22,053	7,801	14,252	84,971	42,334	42,637
Diversity	50,945	23,622	27,323	48,053	21,955	26,098	2,892	1,667	1,225
Total, family-sponsored preferences	235,280	158,508	76,772	175,431	105,332	70,099	59,849	53,176	6,673
Total, family 1st preference	27,707	21,315	6,392	19,243	13,561	5,682	8,464	7,754	710
1st preference, unmarried sons/daughters of U.S. citizens	21,315	21,315	-	13,561	13,561	-	7,754	7,754	-
New arrivals (A11)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
New arrivals (F11)	13,560	13,560	-	13,560	13,560	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (F16)	7,754	7,754	-	-	-	-	7,754	7,754	-
1st preference, children of A11, F11, F16	6,392	-	6,392	5,682	-	5,682	710	-	710
New arrivals (F12)	5,682	-	5,682	5,682	-	5,682	-	-	-
Adjustments (F17)	710	-	710	-	-	-	710	-	710
Total, family 2nd preference	124,595	109,648	14,947	80,302	67,894	12,408	44,293	41,754	2,539
<i>Total, subject to country limitations</i>	<i>70,997</i>	<i>59,572</i>	<i>11,425</i>	<i>42,842</i>	<i>32,114</i>	<i>10,728</i>	<i>28,155</i>	<i>27,458</i>	<i>697</i>
<i>Total, exempt from country limitations</i>	<i>53,598</i>	<i>50,076</i>	<i>3,522</i>	<i>37,460</i>	<i>35,780</i>	<i>1,680</i>	<i>16,138</i>	<i>14,296</i>	<i>1,842</i>
2nd preference, spouses of alien residents	37,754	37,754	-	18,711	18,711	-	19,043	19,043	-
Subject to country limitations	20,120	20,120	-	8,470	8,470	-	11,650	11,650	-
New arrivals, self-petitioning (B21)	6	6	-	6	6	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (C21)	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
New arrivals (F21)	8,461	8,461	-	8,461	8,461	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, self petitioning (B26)	78	78	-	-	-	-	78	78	-
Adjustments, conditional (C26)	4	4	-	-	-	-	4	4	-
Adjustments (F26)	11,568	11,568	-	-	-	-	11,568	11,568	-
Exempt from country limitations	17,634	17,634	-	10,241	10,241	-	7,393	7,393	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (BX6)	13	13	-	-	-	-	13	13	-
New arrivals (FX1)	10,241	10,241	-	10,241	10,241	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (FX6)	7,380	7,380	-	-	-	-	7,380	7,380	-
2nd preference, children of alien residents	51,279	51,250	29	33,184	33,181	3	18,095	18,069	26
Subject to country limitations	18,831	18,808	23	7,645	7,642	3	11,186	11,166	20
New arrivals, self-petitioning (B22)	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
New arrivals (B23)	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (C23)	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-
New arrivals (F22)	7,640	7,640	-	7,640	7,640	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (B27)	30	30	-	-	-	-	30	30	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (B28)	20	-	20	-	-	-	20	-	20
Adjustments, conditional (C27)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Adjustments (F27)	11,134	11,134	-	-	-	-	11,134	11,134	-
Exempt from country limitations	32,448	32,442	6	25,539	25,539	-	6,909	6,903	6
New arrivals, conditional (CX2)	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
New arrivals (FX2)	25,537	25,537	-	25,537	25,537	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (BX7)	7	7	-	-	-	-	7	7	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (BX8)	6	-	6	-	-	-	6	-	6
Adjustments (FX7)	6,896	6,896	-	-	-	-	6,896	6,896	-
2nd preference, children of 2nd preference spouse, or child	8,212	-	8,212	6,012	-	6,012	2,200	-	2,200
Subject to country limitations	4,696	-	4,696	4,332	-	4,332	364	-	364
New arrivals (F23)	4,332	-	4,332	4,332	-	4,332	-	-	-
Adjustments (F28)	364	-	364	-	-	-	364	-	364
Exempt from country limitations	3,516	-	3,516	1,680	-	1,680	1,836	-	1,836
New arrivals (FX3)	1,680	-	1,680	1,680	-	1,680	-	-	-
Adjustments (FX8)	1,836	-	1,836	-	-	-	1,836	-	1,836

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives
2nd preference, unmarried sons and daughters of alien residents ²	20,644	20,644	-	16,002	16,002	-	4,642	4,642	-
New arrivals (F24)	16,002	16,002	-	16,002	16,002	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (B29)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Adjustments (F29)	4,641	4,641	-	-	-	-	4,641	4,641	-
2nd preference, children of B29, F24, F29 ²	6,706	-	6,706	6,393	-	6,393	313	-	313
New arrivals (F25)	6,393	-	6,393	6,393	-	6,393	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C20)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Adjustments (F20)	312	-	312	-	-	-	312	-	312
Total, family 3rd preference	22,833	6,716	16,117	20,385	5,684	14,701	2,448	1,032	1,416
3rd preference, married sons/daughters of U.S. citizens	6,716	6,716	-	5,684	5,684	-	1,032	1,032	-
New arrivals (A31)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
New arrivals (F31)	5,683	5,683	-	5,683	5,683	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C36)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Adjustments (F36)	1,031	1,031	-	-	-	-	1,031	1,031	-
3rd preference, spouses of A31, F31, F36	5,801	-	5,801	5,161	-	5,161	640	-	640
New arrivals (F32)	5,161	-	5,161	5,161	-	5,161	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C37)	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2
Adjustments (F37)	638	-	638	-	-	-	638	-	638
3rd preference, children of A31,F31,F36	10,316	-	10,316	9,540	-	9,540	776	-	776
New arrivals (F33)	9,540	-	9,540	9,540	-	9,540	-	-	-
Adjustments (A38)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Adjustments, conditional (C38)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Adjustments (F38)	774	-	774	-	-	-	774	-	774
Total, family 4th preference	60,145	20,829	39,316	55,501	18,193	37,308	4,644	2,636	2,008
4th preference, brothers or sisters of U.S. citizens	20,829	20,829	-	18,193	18,193	-	2,636	2,636	-
New arrivals (F41)	18,193	18,193	-	18,193	18,193	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (F46)	2,636	2,636	-	-	-	-	2,636	2,636	-
4th preference, spouses of F41 and F46	14,516	-	14,516	13,672	-	13,672	844	-	844
New arrvials (F42)	13,672	-	13,672	13,672	-	13,672	-	-	-
Adjustments (F47)	844	-	844	-	-	-	844	-	844
4th preference, children of F41 and F46	24,800	-	24,800	23,636	-	23,636	1,164	-	1,164
New arrivals (F43)	23,636	-	23,636	23,636	-	23,636	-	-	-
Adjustments (F48)	1,164	-	1,164	-	-	-	1,164	-	1,164
Legalization dependents	55	54	1	11	11	-	44	43	1
Spouses of Legalized aliens	22	22	-	3	3	-	19	19	-
New arrivals (LB1)	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (LB6)	19	19	-	-	-	-	19	19	-
Children of LB1, LB6	33	32	1	8	8	-	25	24	1
New arrivals (LB2)	8	8	-	8	8	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (CB7)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Adjustments (LB7)	24	24	-	-	-	-	24	24	-
Total, employment-based preferences	107,024	50,135	56,889	22,053	7,801	14,252	84,971	42,334	42,637
Total, employment 1st preference	27,706	11,452	16,254	5,631	2,241	3,390	22,075	9,211	12,864
1st preference, aliens with extraordinary ability	2,002	2,002	-	504	504	-	1,498	1,498	-
New arrivals (E11)	504	504	-	504	504	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E16)	1,498	1,498	-	-	-	-	1,498	1,498	-
1st preference, outstanding professors or researchers ...	2,667	2,667	-	225	225	-	2,442	2,442	-
New arrivals (E12)	225	225	-	225	225	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E17)	2,442	2,442	-	-	-	-	2,442	2,442	-
1st preference, multinational executives or managers ..	6,783	6,783	-	1,512	1,512	-	5,271	5,271	-
New arrivals (E13)	1,512	1,512	-	1,512	1,512	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E18)	5,271	5,271	-	-	-	-	5,271	5,271	-
1st preference, spouses of E11, E16, E12, E17, E13, E18	8,180	-	8,180	1,576	-	1,576	6,604	-	6,604
New arrivals (E14)	1,576	-	1,576	1,576	-	1,576	-	-	-
Adjustments (E19)	6,604	-	6,604	-	-	-	6,604	-	6,604

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives
1st preference, children of E11, E16, E12, E17, E13, E18	8,074	-	8,074	1,814	-	1,814	6,260	-	6,260
New arrivals (E15)	1,814	-	1,814	1,814	-	1,814	-	-	-
Adjustments (E10)	6,260	-	6,260	-	-	-	6,260	-	6,260
Total, employment 2nd preference	20,304	9,815	10,489	1,857	842	1,015	18,447	8,973	9,474
2nd preference, professionals holding advanced degrees	9,815	9,815	-	842	842	-	8,973	8,973	-
New arrivals (E21)	842	842	-	842	842	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E26)	8,972	8,972	-	-	-	-	8,972	8,972	-
Adjustments (ES6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
2nd preference, spouses of E21, E26	7,452	-	7,452	633	-	633	6,819	-	6,819
New arrivals (E22)	633	-	633	633	-	633	-	-	-
Adjustments (E27)	6,819	-	6,819	-	-	-	6,819	-	6,819
2nd preference, children of E21, E26	3,037	-	3,037	382	-	382	2,655	-	2,655
New arrivals (E23)	382	-	382	382	-	382	-	-	-
Adjustments (E28)	2,655	-	2,655	-	-	-	2,655	-	2,655
Total, employment 3rd preference	49,736	24,386	25,350	12,581	4,145	8,436	37,155	20,241	16,914
Total, skilled workers, professionals, and their families	45,167	22,435	22,732	10,776	3,765	7,011	34,391	18,670	15,721
3rd preference, skilled workers	13,651	13,651	-	2,254	2,254	-	11,397	11,397	-
New arrivals (E31)	2,254	2,254	-	2,254	2,254	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E36)	11,397	11,397	-	-	-	-	11,397	11,397	-
3rd preference, professionals with baccalaureate degrees	8,771	8,771	-	1,511	1,511	-	7,260	7,260	-
New arrivals (E32)	1,511	1,511	-	1,511	1,511	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (E37)	7,260	7,260	-	-	-	-	7,260	7,260	-
3rd preference, spouses of E31, E36, E32, E37	11,865	-	11,865	2,571	-	2,571	9,294	-	9,294
New arrivals (E34)	2,571	-	2,571	2,571	-	2,571	-	-	-
Adjustments (E39)	9,294	-	9,294	-	-	-	9,294	-	9,294
3rd preference, children of E31, E36, E32, E37	10,858	-	10,858	4,440	-	4,440	6,418	-	6,418
New arrivals (E35)	4,440	-	4,440	4,440	-	4,440	-	-	-
Adjustments (E30)	6,418	-	6,418	-	-	-	6,418	-	6,418
3rd preference, Chinese Student Protection Act	22	13	9	-	-	-	22	13	9
Principals, adjustments (EC6)	13	13	-	-	-	-	13	13	-
Spouses, adjustments (EC7)	7	-	7	-	-	-	7	-	7
Children, adjustments (EC8)	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2
Total, unskilled workers and their families	4,569	1,951	2,618	1,805	380	1,425	2,764	1,571	1,193
3rd preference, needed unskilled workers	1,951	1,951	-	380	380	-	1,571	1,571	-
New arrivals (EW3)	380	380	-	380	380	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (EW8)	1,571	1,571	-	-	-	-	1,571	1,571	-
3rd preference, spouses of EW3, EW8	968	-	968	360	-	360	608	-	608
New arrivals (EW4)	360	-	360	360	-	360	-	-	-
Adjustments (EW9)	608	-	608	-	-	-	608	-	608
3rd preference, children of EW3, EW8	1,650	-	1,650	1,065	-	1,065	585	-	585
New arrivals (EW5)	1,065	-	1,065	1,065	-	1,065	-	-	-
Adjustments (EW0)	585	-	585	-	-	-	585	-	585
Total, employment 4th preference, special immigrants	9,052	4,403	4,649	1,912	550	1,362	7,140	3,853	3,287
Total, ministers, spouses, and children	2,366	1,011	1,355	402	105	297	1,964	906	1,058
Ministers	1,011	1,011	-	105	105	-	906	906	-
New arrivals (SD1)	105	105	-	105	105	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SD6)	906	906	-	-	-	-	906	906	-
Spouses of ministers	546	-	546	95	-	95	451	-	451
New arrivals (SD2)	95	-	95	95	-	95	-	-	-
Adjustments (SD7)	451	-	451	-	-	-	451	-	451
Children of ministers	809	-	809	202	-	202	607	-	607
New arrivals (SD3)	202	-	202	202	-	202	-	-	-
Adjustments (SD8)	607	-	607	-	-	-	607	-	607

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives
Total, employees of U.S. government abroad, spouses and children	858	261	597	850	259	591	8	2	6
Employees of U.S. government abroad (SE1)	261	261	-	259	259	-	2	2	-
New arrivals (SE1)	259	259	-	259	259	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SE6)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Spouses of employees of U.S. government abroad (SE2)	189	-	189	187	-	187	2	-	2
New arrivals (SE2)	187	-	187	187	-	187	-	-	-
Adjustments (SE7)	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2
Children of employees of U.S. government abroad (SE3)	408	-	408	404	-	404	4	-	4
New arrivals (SE3)	404	-	404	404	-	404	-	-	-
Adjustments (SE8)	4	-	4	-	-	-	4	-	4
Total, Panama Canal Act (P.L. 96-70)	24	9	15	21	8	13	3	1	2
Certain former employees of the PC Co. and CZ government (SF1)	4	4	-	4	4	-	-	-	-
Accompanying spouses or children of SF1 or SF6 (SF2)	5	-	5	5	-	5	-	-	-
Accompanying spouses or children of SF1 or SF6 (SF7)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Certain former employees of U.S. government in Panama CZ (SG1)	4	4	-	4	4	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SG6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Accompanying spouses or children of SG1 (SG2)	8	-	8	8	-	8	-	-	-
Adjustments (SG7)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Total, retired employees of international organizations and their families	381	168	213	8	3	5	373	165	208
Retired employees of international organizations	168	168	-	3	3	-	165	165	-
New arrivals (SK1)	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SK6)	165	165	-	-	-	-	165	165	-
Accompanying spouses of SK1 or SK6	30	-	30	1	-	1	29	-	29
New arrivals (SK2)	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Adjustments (SK7)	29	-	29	-	-	-	29	-	29
Unmarried children of SK1 or SK6	183	-	183	4	-	4	179	-	179
New arrivals (SK3)	4	-	4	4	-	4	-	-	-
Adjustments (SK8)	179	-	179	-	-	-	179	-	179
Total, juvenile court dependents	659	659	-	1	1	-	658	658	-
New arrivals (SL1)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SL6)	658	658	-	-	-	-	658	658	-
Total, aliens serving in U.S. Armed Forces, spouses, and children	28	13	15	10	5	5	18	8	10
Served in U.S. Armed Forces for 12 years (elig. after 10/1/91)	13	13	-	5	5	-	8	8	-
New arrivals (SM1)	5	5	-	5	5	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SM6)	8	8	-	-	-	-	8	8	-
Spouses of SM1, SM6	9	-	9	4	-	4	5	-	5
New arrivals (SM2)	4	-	4	4	-	4	-	-	-
Adjustments (SM7)	5	-	5	-	-	-	5	-	5
Spouse or child of SM4, SM9	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Adjustment (SM0)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Children of SM1, SM6	5	-	5	1	-	1	4	-	4
New arrivals (SM3)	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Adjustments (SM8)	4	-	4	-	-	-	4	-	4
Total, religious workers and their families	4,734	2,280	2,454	619	168	451	4,115	2,112	2,003
Religious workers	2,280	2,280	-	168	168	-	2,112	2,112	-
New arrivals (SR1)	168	168	-	168	168	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SR6)	2,112	2,112	-	-	-	-	2,112	2,112	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives
Spouses of SR1 or SR6	1,064	-	1,064	140	-	140	924	-	924
New arrivals (SR2)	140	-	140	140	-	140	-	-	-
Adjustments (SR7)	924	-	924	-	-	-	924	-	924
Children of SR1 or SR6	1,390	-	1,390	311	-	311	1,079	-	1,079
New arrivals (SR3)	311	-	311	311	-	311	-	-	-
Adjustments (SR8)	1,079	-	1,079	-	-	-	1,079	-	1,079
Lost citizenship through marriage	2	2	-	1	1	-	1	1	-
New arrivals (SC1)	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (SC6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Total, employment 5th preference	226	79	147	72	23	49	154	56	98
5th preference, employment creation, not in targeted area	47	47	-	12	12	-	35	35	-
New arrivals, conditional (C51)	10	10	-	10	10	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (R51)	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C56)	35	35	-	-	-	-	35	35	-
5th preference, spouses of C51, C56, R51	35	-	35	8	-	8	27	-	27
New arrivals, conditional (C52)	7	-	7	7	-	7	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (R52)	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C57)	27	-	27	-	-	-	27	-	27
5th preference, children of C51, C56, R51	48	-	48	11	-	11	37	-	37
New arrivals, conditional (C53)	9	-	9	9	-	9	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (R53)	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (C58)	37	-	37	-	-	-	37	-	37
5th preference, employment creation, targeted area	32	32	-	11	11	-	21	21	-
New arrivals, conditional (T51)	11	11	-	11	11	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (T56)	21	21	-	-	-	-	21	21	-
5th preference, spouses of T51, T56	26	-	26	9	-	9	17	-	17
New arrivals, conditional (T52)	9	-	9	9	-	9	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (T57)	17	-	17	-	-	-	17	-	17
5th preference, children of T51, T56	38	-	38	21	-	21	17	-	17
New arrivals, conditional (I53)	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
New arrivals, conditional (T53)	20	-	20	20	-	20	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (T58)	17	-	17	-	-	-	17	-	17
Total, diversity	50,945	23,622	27,323	48,053	21,955	26,098	2,892	1,667	1,225
Principals	23,622	23,622	-	21,955	21,955	-	1,667	1,667	-
New arrivals (DV1)	21,955	21,955	-	21,955	21,955	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (DV6)	1,667	1,667	-	-	-	-	1,667	1,667	-
Spouses of DV1, DV6	12,814	-	12,814	12,119	-	12,119	695	-	695
New arrivals (DV2)	12,119	-	12,119	12,119	-	12,119	-	-	-
Adjustments (DV7)	695	-	695	-	-	-	695	-	695
Children of DV1, DV6	14,509	-	14,509	13,979	-	13,979	530	-	530
New arrivals (DV3)	13,979	-	13,979	13,979	-	13,979	-	-	-
Adjustments (DV8)	530	-	530	-	-	-	530	-	530
Total, not subject to world-wide numerical limits ³	456,503	424,813	31,690	161,854	161,181	673	294,649	263,632	31,017
Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens	347,870	347,827	43	159,487	159,479	8	188,383	188,348	35
Children born abroad to alien residents	1,009	1,009	-	1,009	1,009	-	-	-	-
Amerasians	943	286	657	943	286	657	-	-	-
Employees of U.S. businesses in Hong Kong and their families	11	3	8	11	3	8	-	-	-
IRCA legalization adjustments	421	421	-	-	-	-	421	421	-
Refugee and asylee adjustments	65,941	37,217	28,724	-	-	-	65,941	37,217	28,724
Other adjustments	39,904	37,646	2,258	-	-	-	39,904	37,646	2,258
Other new arrivals	404	404	-	404	404	-	-	-	-
Total, immediate relatives of U.S. citizens ³	347,870	347,827	43	159,487	159,479	8	188,383	188,348	35
Total, spouses of U.S. citizens	197,525	197,525	-	53,201	53,201	-	144,324	144,324	-
New arrivals, conditional (CR1)	30,526	30,526	-	30,526	30,526	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives
New arrivals, self-petitioning (IB1)	34	34	-	34	34	-	-	-	-
New arrivals (IR1)	22,567	22,567	-	22,567	22,567	-	-	-	-
New arrivals widow(er) (IW1)	74	74	-	74	74	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, conditional (CF1)	11,106	11,106	-	-	-	-	11,106	11,106	-
Adjustments, conditional (CR6)	39,085	39,085	-	-	-	-	39,085	39,085	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning (IB6)	657	657	-	-	-	-	657	657	-
Adjustments, entered as fiance(ee) (IF1)	2,072	2,072	-	-	-	-	2,072	2,072	-
Adjustments (IR6)	91,257	91,257	-	-	-	-	91,257	91,257	-
Adjustments, widow(er) (IW6)	147	147	-	-	-	-	147	147	-
Total, children of U.S. citizens	64,606	64,563	43	37,983	37,975	8	26,623	26,588	35
New arrivals, conditional (CR2)	5,200	5,200	-	5,200	5,200	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, self-petitioning child (IB2)	8	8	-	8	8	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, child of IB1 (IB3)	8	-	8	8	-	8	-	-	-
New arrivals (IR2)	32,738	32,738	-	32,738	32,738	-	-	-	-
New arrivals, entered as child or widow(er) (IW2)	29	29	-	29	29	-	-	-	-
Adjustments, entered as a child of a fiance(e), conditional (CF2)	1,335	1,335	-	-	-	-	1,335	1,335	-
Adjustments, conditional (CR7)	2,491	2,491	-	-	-	-	2,491	2,491	-
Adjustments (IB7)	125	125	-	-	-	-	125	125	-
Adjustments, self-petitioning child (IB8)	35	-	35	-	-	-	35	-	35
Adjustments, entered as a child of a fiance(e) IF1 (IF2)	246	246	-	-	-	-	246	246	-
Adjustments (IR7)	22,361	22,361	-	-	-	-	22,361	22,361	-
Adjustments, entered as child or widow(er) (IW7)	30	30	-	-	-	-	30	30	-
Total, orphans	18,120	18,120	-	18,102	18,102	-	18	18	-
Orphans adopted abroad	12,962	12,962	-	12,947	12,947	-	15	15	-
New arrivals (IR3)	12,947	12,947	-	12,947	12,947	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (IR8)	15	15	-	-	-	-	15	15	-
Orphans to be adopted	5,158	5,158	-	5,155	5,155	-	3	3	-
New arrivals (IR4)	5,155	5,155	-	5,155	5,155	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (IR9)	3	3	-	-	-	-	3	3	-
Total, parents of adult U.S. citizens	67,619	67,619	-	50,201	50,201	-	17,418	17,418	-
New arrivals (IR5)	50,201	50,201	-	50,201	50,201	-	-	-	-
Adjustments (IR0)	17,418	17,418	-	-	-	-	17,418	17,418	-
Children born abroad to alien residents (NA3)	1,009	1,009	-	1,009	1,009	-	-	-	-
Total Amerasians (P.L. 100-202)	943	286	657	943	286	657	-	-	-
Amerasians, born in Vietnam from 1/1/62-1/1/76 (AM1)	286	286	-	286	286	-	-	-	-
Spouses or children of AM1 or AM6 (AM2)	474	-	474	474	-	474	-	-	-
Mothers, guardians, or next-of-kin of AM1 or AM6 (AM3)	183	-	183	183	-	183	-	-	-
Total, employees of U.S. businesses in Hong Kong and their families	11	3	8	11	3	8	-	-	-
Employees of U.S. businesses in Hong Kong (HK1)	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-
Spouses of HK1, HK6 (HK2)	3	-	3	3	-	3	-	-	-
Children of HK1, HK6 (HK3)	5	-	5	5	-	5	-	-	-
Total, IRCA legalization adjustments	421	421	-	-	-	-	421	421	-
Entered without inspection before 1/1/82 (W16)	352	352	-	-	-	-	352	352	-
Entered as nonimmigrant and overstayed before 1/1/82 (W26)	59	59	-	-	-	-	59	59	-
Blanket Extended Voluntary Departures (EVD) group, PL99-603 (W36)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Special Agriculture Workers (SAW), working in 1984, 1985 and 1986 (S16)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Special Agriculture Workers (SAW), working in 1986 (S26)	6	6	-	-	-	-	6	6	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives
Total, refugee and asylee adjustments	65,941	37,217	28,724	-	-	-	65,941	37,217	28,724
Total, Cuban refugees (P.L. 89-732)	13,346	12,424	922	-	-	-	13,346	12,424	922
Cuban refugees (CU6)	12,424	12,424	-	-	-	-	12,424	12,424	-
Non-Cuban spouses or children of Cuban refugees (CU7)	922	-	922	-	-	-	922	-	922
Total, Indochinese refugees (P.L. 95-145)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Indochinese refugees (IC6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Refugee parolees (P.L. 95-412)(R86)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Total, refugees (P.L. 96-212)	45,734	21,233	24,501	-	-	-	45,734	21,233	24,501
Refugees (RE6)	21,233	21,233	-	-	-	-	21,233	21,233	-
Spouses of refugees (RE7)	9,053	-	9,053	-	-	-	9,053	-	9,053
Children of refugees (RE8)	15,326	-	15,326	-	-	-	15,326	-	15,326
Other persons deriving refugee status (RE9)	122	-	122	-	-	-	122	-	122
Total, asylees (P.L. 96-212)	6,858	3,557	3,301	-	-	-	6,858	3,557	3,301
Asylees (AS6)	2,726	2,726	-	-	-	-	2,726	2,726	-
Spouses of asylees (AS7)	705	-	705	-	-	-	705	-	705
Children of asylees (AS8)	1,136	-	1,136	-	-	-	1,136	-	1,136
Iraq national asylees processed in Guam (Sec.128, P.L. 105-277)	2,291	831	1,460	-	-	-	2,291	831	1,460
Iraqi adjusting under P.L. 105-277 (GA6)	831	831	-	-	-	-	831	831	-
Spouse of GA6 (GA7)	384	-	384	-	-	-	384	-	384
Child of GA6 (GA8)	1,076	-	1,076	-	-	-	1,076	-	1,076
Total, other adjustments	39,904	37,646	2,258	-	-	-	39,904	37,646	2,258
Cancellation of removal	12,349	12,349	-	-	-	-	12,349	12,349	-
Other than crewmen (Sec.244, P.L.89-236) (Z13)	4,224	4,224	-	-	-	-	4,224	4,224	-
Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA) (Sec.203, P.L. 105-100) (Z15)	8,015	8,015	-	-	-	-	8,015	8,015	-
Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) (Crime Bill, P.L. 102-322) (Z14)	110	110	-	-	-	-	110	110	-
Cuban/Haitian entrants (P.L.99-603) (CH6)	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Total, former H-1 nurses (P.L. 101-238)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Former registered nurses (RN6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Haitian Refugee Immigration Fairness Act (HRIFA) (P.L. 105-277)	436	368	68	-	-	-	436	368	68
Haitian adjusting under P.L. 105-277 (HA6)	296	296	-	-	-	-	296	296	-
Spouse of HA6, (HA7)	9	-	9	-	-	-	9	-	9
Child of HA6, (HA8)	45	-	45	-	-	-	45	-	45
Haitian adjusting under P.L. 105-277 Sec. 902(b)(1)(b) (HB6)	65	65	-	-	-	-	65	65	-
Unmarried son or daughter of HB6, (HA9)	4	-	4	-	-	-	4	-	4
Spouse of HB6, (HB7)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Child of HB6, (HB8)	7	-	7	-	-	-	7	-	7
Haitian adjusting under P.L. 105-277 Sec. 902(b)(1)(C)(i) (HC6)	6	6	-	-	-	-	6	6	-
Child of HC6, (HC8)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Unmarried son or daughter of HC6 (HC9)	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Haitian adjusting under P.L. 105-277 Sec. 902(b)(1)(C)(iii) (HE6)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Individuals born under diplomatic status in U.S. (DS1)	3	3	-	-	-	-	3	3	-
Nicaraguan/Cuban (NACARA) (Sec. 202, P.L. 105-100)	23,641	21,451	2,190	-	-	-	23,641	21,451	2,190
Nicaraguan/Cuban adjusting under NACARA (NC6)	21,451	21,451	-	-	-	-	21,451	21,451	-
Spouse of NC6 (NC7)	706	-	706	-	-	-	706	-	706
Child of NC6 (NC8)	1,451	-	1,451	-	-	-	1,451	-	1,451
Unmarried son/daughter of NC6 (NC9)	33	-	33	-	-	-	33	-	33

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 5. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE AND CLASS OF ADMISSION
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Type and class of admission	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives	Total	Princi-pals	Deriva-tives
Parolees, Polish/Hungarian (PH6)	39	39	-	-	-	-	39	39	-
Parolees, Soviet/Indochinese (LA6)	3,163	3,163	-	-	-	-	3,163	3,163	-
Presumed admitted for lawful permanent residence (XB3)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Section 249, P.L. 89-236, entered before 7/1/24 (Z33)	6	6	-	-	-	-	6	6	-
Section 249, P.L. 89-236, entered 7/1/24-6/28/40 (Z03)	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Section 249, P.L. 89-236, entered 6/29/40-1/1/72 (Z66)	262	262	-	-	-	-	262	262	-
<i>Total, other new arrivals</i>	404	404	-	404	404	-	-	-	-
American Indians born in Canada (S13)	322	322	-	322	322	-	-	-	-
Total, children born subsequent to issuance of visa	82	82	-	82	82	-	-	-	-
Parent's visa type is employment-based preference (XE3)	10	10	-	10	10	-	-	-	-
Parent's visa type is family-sponsored preference (XF3)	18	18	-	18	18	-	-	-	-
Parent's visa type is not family-sponsored, employment-based or immediate relative (XN3) ..	44	44	-	44	44	-	-	-	-
Parent's visa type is immediate relative (XR3)	10	10	-	10	10	-	-	-	-

¹ World-wide numerical limits include family-sponsored preferences, legalization dependents, employment-based preferences, and diversity programs.

² Subject to country limitations.

³ Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens in previous editions of the *Statistical Yearbook* are included with admissions not subject to a numerical cap. Immediate relatives may immigrate without limit but the number affects the limit set for family-sponsored preference immigrants.

NOTE: Symbol enclosed in parentheses is the visa or adjustment code.

- Represents zero. X Not applicable.

TABLE 6. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND FOREIGN STATE OF CHARGEABILITY UNDER THE PREFERENCE CATEGORIES FISCAL YEAR 2000

Region and foreign state of chargeability	Total	Family-sponsored preferences					Employment-based preferences						
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	5th pref.	
All countries	342,304	235,280	27,707	124,595	22,833	60,145	107,024	27,706	20,304	49,736	9,052	226	
Europe	25,453	8,788	1,140	2,373	3,666	1,609	16,665	8,281	1,803	5,705	833	43	
Albania	302	249	12	30	207	-	53	16	7	21	9	-	
Andorra	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	
Armenia	126	24	7	7	10	-	102	21	6	73	2	-	
Austria	91	10	1	5	3	1	81	46	6	23	3	3	
Azerbaijan	27	7	5	2	-	-	20	15	5	-	-	-	
Belarus	99	24	5	12	7	-	75	18	3	46	8	-	
Belgium	250	25	11	4	4	6	225	148	16	54	7	-	
Bosnia-Herzegovina	46	16	1	2	1	12	30	10	7	11	2	-	
Bulgaria	366	48	19	9	17	3	318	121	65	128	4	-	
Croatia	86	24	6	6	2	10	62	24	11	24	3	-	
Czech Republic ..	34	11	2	6	3	-	23	9	4	9	1	-	
Czechoslovakia ¹	116	20	11	3	2	4	96	42	16	28	10	-	
Denmark	159	10	4	3	1	2	149	82	21	42	4	-	
Estonia	20	1	-	1	-	-	19	8	5	6	-	-	
Finland	119	6	1	3	-	2	113	81	7	22	3	-	
France	1,211	117	33	23	17	44	1,094	690	103	267	34	-	
Georgia	51	11	3	1	6	1	40	18	10	11	1	-	
Germany	1,673	186	47	56	28	55	1,487	984	155	301	45	2	
Gibraltar	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	
Greece	245	91	13	14	16	48	154	55	37	55	6	1	
Hungary	242	35	13	9	10	3	207	96	28	69	14	-	
Iceland	40	8	-	4	4	-	32	19	2	10	-	1	
Ireland	320	33	18	4	1	10	287	170	20	76	19	2	
Italy	703	140	27	33	22	58	563	251	43	235	32	2	
Kazakhstan	37	5	2	2	1	-	32	19	7	6	-	-	
Kyrgyzstan	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	2	-	-	
Latvia	42	8	4	1	3	-	34	4	5	20	5	-	
Lithuania	87	36	10	10	15	1	51	13	3	30	4	1	
Luxembourg	10	-	-	-	-	-	10	8	1	1	-	-	
Macedonia	150	132	13	22	32	65	18	-	2	14	2	-	
Malta	18	5	2	1	-	2	13	13	-	-	-	-	
Moldova	42	16	6	7	3	-	26	8	1	7	10	-	
Monaco	3	1	-	-	-	1	2	1	1	-	-	-	
Netherlands	512	42	5	16	7	14	470	307	36	106	16	5	
Norway	81	19	3	6	3	7	62	39	5	14	4	-	
Poland	6,960	5,406	438	1,666	2,812	490	1,554	156	88	1,129	180	1	
Portugal	657	373	14	79	12	268	284	32	8	239	5	-	
Romania	810	349	59	31	133	126	461	82	99	208	72	-	
Russia	1,684	131	57	38	29	7	1,553	753	338	406	54	2	
Slovak Republic ..	82	15	5	6	1	3	67	16	7	35	9	-	
Slovenia	14	2	-	1	1	-	12	7	2	3	-	-	
Soviet Union ¹	123	10	7	2	-	1	113	59	34	16	4	-	
Spain	288	45	6	16	9	14	243	112	23	79	29	-	
Sweden	305	31	5	8	8	10	274	200	25	46	3	-	
Switzerland	291	16	4	2	5	5	275	191	25	43	8	8	
Tajikistan	13	3	-	3	-	-	10	7	-	3	-	-	
Turkmenistan	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	-	1	-	-	
Ukraine	544	131	45	47	33	6	413	138	56	159	56	4	
United Kingdom..	5,972	776	185	146	165	280	5,196	3,098	409	1,541	138	10	
Uzbekistan	60	12	6	5	1	-	48	25	11	11	1	-	
Yugoslavia ¹	332	128	25	21	32	50	204	62	40	75	26	1	

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND FOREIGN STATE OF CHARGEABILITY UNDER THE PREFERENCE CATEGORIES FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued

Region and foreign state of chargeability	Total	Family-sponsored preferences					Employment-based preferences					
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	5th pref.
Asia	137,544	79,332	6,313	20,432	11,292	41,295	58,212	11,220	16,258	27,069	3,531	134
Afghanistan	349	282	43	102	91	46	67	3	7	48	9	-
Bahrain	58	19	1	3	3	12	39	4	5	24	6	-
Bangladesh	2,987	2,317	59	1,156	120	982	670	57	155	399	59	-
Brunei	6	2	-	-	-	2	4	-	1	3	-	-
Burma	682	616	17	92	65	442	66	13	16	31	6	-
Cambodia	408	339	63	50	55	171	69	1	8	17	43	-
China, People's Republic	26,790	13,192	675	4,429	1,868	6,220	13,598	3,899	6,073	3,531	59	36
Cyprus	38	5	-	-	2	3	33	8	4	15	6	-
Hong Kong	3,612	2,809	123	427	230	2,029	803	184	125	480	11	3
India	29,311	13,930	370	2,369	1,450	9,741	15,381	2,306	7,233	5,360	470	12
Indonesia	472	238	18	63	23	134	234	75	24	113	22	-
Iran	3,180	2,251	269	662	243	1,077	929	122	130	662	13	2
Iraq	664	570	95	232	93	150	94	26	23	38	7	-
Israel	983	246	53	41	63	89	737	281	72	250	132	2
Japan	2,289	182	12	116	21	33	2,107	1,268	151	575	111	2
Jordan	1,368	1,155	84	378	188	505	213	37	43	118	15	-
Korea	8,889	3,489	283	681	513	2,012	5,400	1,186	195	2,541	1,455	23
Kuwait	441	324	50	181	34	59	117	8	24	74	11	-
Laos	136	110	42	9	31	28	26	1	-	3	22	-
Lebanon	1,756	1,447	159	481	208	599	309	48	57	191	13	-
Macau	96	83	2	17	8	56	13	4	1	6	2	-
Malaysia	739	255	7	51	5	192	484	82	76	299	27	-
Mongolia	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Nepal	288	38	4	15	6	13	250	23	47	139	41	-
Oman	20	8	1	-	3	4	12	4	4	4	-	-
Pakistan	6,611	4,664	375	1,378	441	2,470	1,947	200	377	1,142	225	3
Philippines	23,842	13,905	1,519	4,917	3,599	3,870	9,937	273	186	9,042	436	-
Qatar	39	21	-	12	4	5	18	-	3	15	-	-
Saudi Arabia	364	179	14	30	29	106	185	28	33	106	18	-
Singapore	306	54	7	14	3	30	252	106	40	94	12	-
Sri Lanka	548	189	19	30	38	102	359	51	84	205	19	-
Syria	1,040	831	73	242	85	431	209	11	67	99	32	-
Taiwan	6,598	3,914	232	466	431	2,785	2,684	730	874	915	117	48
Thailand	851	548	77	171	24	276	303	33	21	182	67	-
Turkey	656	260	28	107	36	89	396	109	68	201	15	3
United Arab Emirates	237	162	3	17	31	111	75	14	14	46	1	-
Vietnam	10,444	10,295	1,397	1,439	1,079	6,380	149	21	13	91	24	-
Yemen	445	403	139	54	169	41	42	4	3	10	25	-
Africa	8,428	4,200	1,131	1,363	306	1,400	4,228	993	564	1,930	728	13
Algeria	85	17	5	10	1	1	68	25	19	22	2	-
Angola	33	30	9	15	3	3	3	2	-	1	-	-
Benin	8	2	2	-	-	-	6	1	-	4	1	-
Botswana	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	-
Burkina Faso	15	3	3	-	-	-	12	-	-	10	2	-
Burundi	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	2	-
Cameroon	71	24	10	13	-	1	47	10	11	20	6	-
Cape Verde	550	543	117	319	36	71	7	-	-	1	6	-
Central African Republic	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Comoros	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Congo, Dem. Rep.	27	3	1	1	-	1	24	8	2	10	4	-
Congo, Republic	16	5	5	-	-	-	11	2	1	3	5	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 6. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND
FOREIGN STATE OF CHARGEABILITY UNDER THE PREFERENCE CATEGORIES
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and foreign state of chargeability	Total	Family-sponsored preferences					Employment-based preferences					
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	5th pref.
Cote d'Ivoire	54	26	5	11	-	10	28	1	4	19	4	-
Djibouti	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-
Egypt	1,253	853	31	130	72	620	400	91	79	154	70	6
Eritrea	47	32	4	26	-	2	15	-	1	8	6	-
Ethiopia	445	342	67	231	21	23	103	16	18	18	51	-
Gambia, The	35	21	14	4	3	-	14	-	1	12	1	-
Ghana	786	573	279	198	31	65	213	29	36	93	55	-
Guinea-Bissau ...	18	8	4	1	2	1	10	1	8	1	-	-
Kenya	508	244	9	32	10	193	264	64	22	101	77	-
Lesotho	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	-
Liberia	254	192	131	28	21	12	62	1	3	20	38	-
Libya	33	22	5	8	5	4	11	-	4	7	-	-
Madagascar	8	-	-	-	-	-	8	7	1	-	-	-
Malawi	20	12	-	1	-	11	8	3	1	4	-	-
Mali	21	2	1	1	-	-	19	1	4	9	5	-
Mauritania	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	1	1	-
Mauritius	19	4	-	1	-	3	15	4	4	5	2	-
Morocco	255	83	6	60	3	14	172	47	17	83	25	-
Mozambique	16	7	2	1	-	4	9	2	1	4	2	-
Namibia	12	1	1	-	-	-	11	3	1	6	1	-
Niger	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	1	-
Nigeria	1,225	444	200	152	27	65	781	78	155	352	196	-
Rwanda	2	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Senegal	79	44	34	8	1	1	35	12	7	15	1	-
Seychelles	4	3	1	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	236	171	116	30	14	11	65	3	7	36	19	-
Somalia	40	32	12	17	-	3	8	-	2	3	3	-
South Africa	1,488	110	21	14	26	49	1,378	484	74	744	69	7
Sudan	55	27	10	13	4	-	28	3	14	5	6	-
Swaziland	3	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	-
Tanzania	212	122	9	15	12	86	90	25	13	32	20	-
Togo	29	9	2	4	3	-	20	-	-	10	10	-
Tunisia	54	8	1	5	1	1	46	12	14	10	10	-
Uganda	193	130	11	6	7	106	63	13	16	27	7	-
Zambia	97	32	-	5	2	25	65	15	6	34	10	-
Zimbabwe	105	17	3	2	-	12	88	25	13	43	7	-
Oceania	1,698	857	72	113	136	536	841	437	67	277	56	4
American Samoa	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Australia	610	61	15	7	21	18	549	326	56	139	27	1
Fiji	673	650	27	68	81	474	23	1	3	6	13	-
French Polynesia	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Nauru	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
New Zealand	287	37	12	5	16	4	250	108	8	126	5	3
Northern Mariana Islands	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	4	2	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	2	-
Samoa	20	13	5	2	3	3	7	-	-	-	7	-
Solomon Islands	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	98	91	13	30	14	34	7	1	-	4	2	-
Vanuatu	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
North America ...	84,910	67,923	14,419	38,179	4,914	10,411	16,987	4,551	956	9,211	2,262	7
Canada	7,938	766	194	131	156	285	7,172	3,768	734	2,451	213	6
Mexico	30,307	26,594	2,872	17,840	1,555	4,327	3,713	578	72	2,443	619	1

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 6. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND
FOREIGN STATE OF CHARGEABILITY UNDER THE PREFERENCE CATEGORIES
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and foreign state of chargeability	Total	Family-sponsored preferences					Employment-based preferences					
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref.	4th pref.	5th pref.
Caribbean	32,633	30,173	9,059	14,215	2,593	4,306	2,460	115	96	1,308	941	-
Anguilla	10	10	2	1	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	211	190	68	64	16	42	21	2	1	11	7	-
Aruba	6	4	1	2	-	1	2	1	-	1	-	-
Bahamas, The	168	130	48	56	14	12	38	5	4	17	12	-
Barbados	344	235	102	36	21	76	109	5	7	79	18	-
Bermuda	14	7	1	4	-	2	7	2	-	1	4	-
British Virgin Is.	28	26	5	11	1	9	2	-	-	1	1	-
Cayman Islands	4	2	1	1	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
Cuba	2,653	2,604	921	756	879	48	49	6	-	3	40	-
Dominica	6	5	1	1	1	2	1	-	-	1	-	-
Dominican Rep.	9,170	8,955	945	6,326	403	1,281	215	15	13	80	107	-
Grenada	340	269	98	59	13	99	71	2	-	57	12	-
Guadeloupe	13	9	4	3	-	2	4	1	-	2	1	-
Haiti	8,091	7,921	3,113	3,717	373	718	170	5	2	48	115	-
Jamaica	7,540	6,829	2,819	2,567	443	1,000	711	35	34	319	323	-
Martinique	4	3	1	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	27	21	4	2	-	15	6	1	-	5	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	11	3	1	2	-	-	8	3	1	-	4	-
St. Kitts-Nevis....	287	275	138	53	6	78	12	-	1	11	-	-
St. Lucia	268	218	81	85	9	43	50	1	1	41	7	-
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	237	183	54	47	37	45	54	2	2	36	14	-
Trinidad and Tobago	3,188	2,261	642	417	372	830	927	26	30	595	276	-
Turks and Caicos Islands.....	13	13	9	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central America ..	14,032	10,390	2,294	5,993	610	1,493	3,642	90	54	3,009	489	-
Belize	302	269	94	65	40	70	33	2	2	21	8	-
Costa Rica	273	144	40	45	13	46	129	20	13	52	44	-
El Salvador	7,212	5,098	937	3,403	145	613	2,114	19	11	1,967	117	-
Guatemala	2,875	2,175	422	1,293	110	350	700	29	13	573	85	-
Honduras	2,008	1,669	456	876	158	179	339	2	8	267	62	-
Nicaragua	705	590	181	241	65	103	115	3	-	93	19	-
Panama	657	445	164	70	79	132	212	15	7	36	154	-
South America	21,631	14,383	3,175	4,804	2,203	4,201	7,248	1,832	278	4,224	903	11
Argentina	793	201	50	49	27	75	592	239	40	236	77	-
Bolivia	957	345	70	143	49	83	612	8	8	567	29	-
Brazil	2,563	450	115	187	73	75	2,113	718	54	1,044	295	2
Chile	519	281	64	59	40	118	238	68	6	132	29	3
Colombia	4,327	3,467	761	1,060	383	1,263	860	249	44	451	115	1
Ecuador	3,394	2,732	397	1,344	324	667	662	41	14	568	38	1
French Guiana	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Guyana	4,017	3,720	987	855	848	1,030	297	21	11	147	118	-
Paraguay	147	69	8	27	9	25	78	14	-	55	9	-
Peru	3,341	2,515	534	924	293	764	826	81	41	647	57	-
Suriname	114	81	12	12	34	23	33	7	-	11	15	-
Uruguay	154	58	15	14	2	27	96	23	6	62	5	-
Venezuela	1,304	464	162	130	121	51	840	362	54	304	116	4
No country limitations	53,598	53,598	-	53,598	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown or not reported	9,042	6,199	1,457	3,733	316	693	2,843	392	378	1,320	739	14

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 7. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

Region and country of birth	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²
All countries	849,807	393,304	456,503	407,402	245,548	161,854	442,405	147,756	294,649
Europe	132,480	50,728	81,752	54,183	34,625	19,558	78,297	16,103	62,194
Albania	4,756	4,216	540	4,455	4,146	309	301	70	231
Andorra	5	4	1	3	2	1	2	2	-
Armenia	1,259	597	662	561	420	141	698	177	521
Austria	409	152	257	168	85	83	241	67	174
Azerbaijan	1,054	193	861	248	159	89	806	34	772
Belarus	2,207	566	1,641	621	470	151	1,586	96	1,490
Belgium	679	307	372	272	125	147	407	182	225
Bosnia-Herzegovina.....	11,828	92	11,736	116	60	56	11,712	32	11,680
Bulgaria	4,925	4,038	887	4,067	3,622	445	858	416	442
Croatia	1,078	166	912	165	91	74	913	75	838
Czech Republic	244	76	168	152	59	93	92	17	75
Czechoslovakia ³	671	181	490	169	72	97	502	109	393
Denmark	541	193	348	222	73	149	319	120	199
Estonia	241	75	166	97	52	45	144	23	121
Finland	378	158	220	177	79	98	201	79	122
France	3,465	1,568	1,897	1,112	635	477	2,353	933	1,420
Georgia	495	189	306	201	142	59	294	47	247
Germany	7,638	3,093	4,545	3,506	1,813	1,693	4,132	1,280	2,852
Gibraltar	5	2	3	4	1	3	1	1	-
Greece	970	331	639	406	168	238	564	163	401
Hungary	1,025	375	650	360	164	196	665	211	454
Iceland	129	58	71	65	31	34	64	27	37
Ireland	1,315	559	756	501	303	198	814	256	558
Italy	2,489	891	1,598	748	381	367	1,741	510	1,231
Kazakhstan	1,509	326	1,183	761	278	483	748	48	700
Kyrgyzstan	396	79	317	110	70	40	286	9	277
Latvia	552	178	374	180	115	65	372	63	309
Liechtenstein	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Lithuania	1,354	950	404	1,028	880	148	326	70	256
Luxembourg	26	12	14	13	8	5	13	4	9
Macedonia	794	393	401	573	345	228	221	48	173
Malta	55	25	30	15	11	4	40	14	26
Moldova	1,273	233	1,040	354	208	146	919	25	894
Monaco	12	7	5	6	5	1	6	2	4
Netherlands	1,351	596	755	418	198	220	933	398	535
Norway	462	114	348	205	68	137	257	46	211
Poland	10,114	7,083	3,031	6,334	5,323	1,011	3,780	1,760	2,020
Portugal	1,372	724	648	495	360	135	877	364	513
Romania	6,879	3,731	3,148	5,221	3,206	2,015	1,658	525	1,133
Russia	17,110	4,094	13,016	7,662	2,330	5,332	9,448	1,764	7,684
Slovak Republic.....	549	282	267	327	216	111	222	66	156
Slovenia	76	26	50	19	13	6	57	13	44
Soviet Union ³	3,332	283	3,049	3	-	3	3,329	283	3,046
Spain	1,264	364	900	404	127	277	860	237	623
Sweden	1,269	448	821	490	215	275	779	233	546
Switzerland	1,039	515	524	468	291	177	571	224	347
Tajikistan	157	84	73	80	69	11	77	15	62
Turkmenistan	100	33	67	43	30	13	57	3	54
Ukraine	15,810	4,529	11,281	5,321	4,032	1,289	10,489	497	9,992
United Kingdom	13,385	6,312	7,073	4,006	2,159	1,847	9,379	4,153	5,226
Uzbekistan	1,659	479	1,180	481	409	72	1,178	70	1,108
Yugoslavia ³	2,774	748	2,026	770	506	264	2,004	242	1,762
Asia	265,400	147,848	117,552	157,945	93,472	64,473	107,455	54,376	53,079
Afghanistan	1,012	346	666	731	304	427	281	42	239

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 7. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²
Bahrain	106	72	34	65	50	15	41	22	19
Bangladesh	7,215	4,687	2,528	5,989	4,046	1,943	1,226	641	585
Bhutan	3	-	3	1	-	1	2	-	2
Brunei	16	5	11	6	2	4	10	3	7
Burma	1,201	900	301	988	818	170	213	82	131
Cambodia	2,142	496	1,646	1,555	296	1,259	587	200	387
China, People's Republic	45,652	26,394	19,258	28,360	14,898	13,462	17,292	11,496	5,796
Cyprus	162	62	100	62	31	31	100	31	69
Hong Kong	5,419	4,450	969	3,934	3,631	303	1,485	819	666
India	42,046	29,926	12,120	23,372	15,947	7,425	18,674	13,979	4,695
Indonesia	1,774	881	893	948	587	361	826	294	532
Iran	8,519	3,631	4,888	5,255	2,758	2,497	3,264	873	2,391
Iraq	5,134	726	4,408	1,332	593	739	3,802	133	3,669
Israel	2,806	1,188	1,618	1,102	518	584	1,704	670	1,034
Japan	7,094	2,687	4,407	2,785	1,066	1,719	4,309	1,621	2,688
Jordan	3,909	1,476	2,433	3,024	1,239	1,785	885	237	648
Korea	15,830	9,155	6,675	7,332	3,858	3,474	8,498	5,297	3,201
Kuwait	1,018	504	514	637	362	275	381	142	239
Laos	1,380	154	1,226	216	111	105	1,164	43	1,121
Lebanon	3,674	1,851	1,823	2,358	1,389	969	1,316	462	854
Macau	270	240	30	235	222	13	35	18	17
Malaysia	1,556	819	737	516	322	194	1,040	497	543
Maldives	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Mongolia	46	7	39	20	6	14	26	1	25
Nepal	617	406	211	241	183	58	376	223	153
Oman	51	46	5	34	32	2	17	14	3
Pakistan	14,535	8,509	6,026	10,795	6,688	4,107	3,740	1,821	1,919
Philippines	42,474	24,386	18,088	26,461	15,862	10,599	16,013	8,524	7,489
Qatar	97	66	31	60	48	12	37	18	19
Saudi Arabia	1,063	708	355	723	556	167	340	152	188
Singapore	671	355	316	193	103	90	478	252	226
Sri Lanka	1,123	788	335	584	450	134	539	338	201
Syria	2,374	1,098	1,276	1,494	888	606	880	210	670
Taiwan	9,040	6,911	2,129	4,878	4,130	748	4,162	2,781	1,381
Thailand	3,785	982	2,803	1,579	645	934	2,206	337	1,869
Turkey	2,613	1,423	1,190	1,484	1,005	479	1,129	418	711
United Arab Emirates ..	436	366	70	332	300	32	104	66	38
Vietnam	26,747	10,623	16,124	16,652	9,056	7,596	10,095	1,567	8,528
Yemen	1,789	524	1,265	1,611	472	1,139	178	52	126
Africa	44,731	24,367	20,364	27,615	19,922	7,693	17,116	4,445	12,671
Algeria	907	612	295	579	515	64	328	97	231
Angola	88	39	49	46	29	17	42	10	32
Benin	62	34	28	34	26	8	28	8	20
Botswana	13	6	7	6	3	3	7	3	4
Burkina Faso	48	17	31	14	8	6	34	9	25
Burundi	28	5	23	4	2	2	24	3	21
Cameroon	865	541	324	616	476	140	249	65	184
Cape Verde	1,083	538	545	757	495	262	326	43	283
Central African Republic	4	3	1	2	2	-	2	1	1
Chad	23	3	20	6	3	3	17	-	17
Comoros	3	2	1	1	-	1	2	2	-
Congo, Dem. Republic	124	27	97	1	1	-	123	26	97
Congo, Republic	191	135	56	144	117	27	47	18	29
Cote d'Ivoire	439	119	320	156	73	83	283	46	237
Djibouti	14	7	7	8	5	3	6	2	4
Egypt	4,461	2,775	1,686	3,195	2,341	854	1,266	434	832

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 7. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²
Equatorial Guinea	5	2	3	2	2	-	3	-	3
Eritrea	383	125	258	259	111	148	124	14	110
Ethiopia	4,061	2,240	1,821	3,127	2,076	1,051	934	164	770
Gabon	18	2	16	7	1	6	11	1	10
Gambia, The	232	47	185	67	33	34	165	14	151
Ghana	4,344	2,547	1,797	3,228	2,295	933	1,116	252	864
Guinea	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3
Guinea-Bissau	204	59	145	84	42	42	120	17	103
Kenya	2,210	1,321	889	1,223	1,044	179	987	277	710
Lesotho	9	5	4	5	3	2	4	2	2
Liberia	1,575	704	871	774	552	222	801	152	649
Libya	181	62	119	111	45	66	70	17	53
Madagascar	33	10	23	13	4	9	20	6	14
Malawi	61	30	31	32	21	11	29	9	20
Mali	109	38	71	45	28	17	64	10	54
Mauritania	88	15	73	13	11	2	75	4	71
Mauritius	54	36	18	28	24	4	26	12	14
Morocco	3,626	2,327	1,299	2,632	2,147	485	994	180	814
Mozambique	41	17	24	13	7	6	28	10	18
Namibia	30	18	12	10	6	4	20	12	8
Niger	30	7	23	7	5	2	23	2	21
Nigeria	7,853	4,104	3,749	4,912	3,333	1,579	2,941	771	2,170
Rwanda	73	10	63	14	9	5	59	1	58
Sao Tome and Principe.....	8	2	6	4	1	3	4	1	3
Senegal	555	163	392	286	122	164	269	41	228
Seychelles	18	5	13	4	1	3	14	4	10
Sierra Leone	1,590	842	748	1,191	740	451	399	102	297
Somalia	2,465	502	1,963	589	490	99	1,876	12	1,864
South Africa	2,833	1,926	907	1,065	776	289	1,768	1,150	618
St. Helena	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Sudan	1,538	1,092	446	1,198	1,038	160	340	54	286
Swaziland	12	4	8	3	2	1	9	2	7
Tanzania	481	301	180	260	197	63	221	104	117
Togo	388	306	82	308	294	14	80	12	68
Tunisia	308	132	176	136	86	50	172	46	126
Uganda	423	222	201	197	148	49	226	74	152
Western Sahara	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Zambia	211	125	86	81	58	23	130	67	63
Zimbabwe	323	156	167	118	74	44	205	82	123
Oceania	5,136	2,550	2,586	2,661	1,774	887	2,475	776	1,699
American Samoa	7	1	6	5	1	4	2	-	2
Australia	2,059	808	1,251	792	370	422	1,267	438	829
Cook Islands	3	1	2	2	1	1	1	-	1
Fiji	1,487	1,132	355	1,214	1,028	186	273	104	169
French Polynesia	14	-	14	2	-	2	12	-	12
Kiribati	3	1	2	1	-	1	2	1	1
Marshall Islands	3	-	3	1	-	1	2	-	2
Micronesia, Federated States	5	-	5	1	-	1	4	-	4
Nauru	3	1	2	1	1	-	2	-	2
New Caledonia	3	1	2	1	-	1	2	1	1
New Zealand	972	404	568	439	238	201	533	166	367
Northern Mariana Is.	6	5	1	4	3	1	2	2	-
Palau	3	1	2	1	1	-	2	-	2
Papua New Guinea	22	10	12	14	8	6	8	2	6
Samoa	184	26	158	22	7	15	162	19	143
Solomon Islands	7	-	7	6	-	6	1	-	1
Tonga	351	158	193	153	115	38	198	43	155
Tuvalu	2	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	1
Vanuatu	2	1	1	1	1	-	1	-	1

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 7. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY TYPE OF ADMISSION AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Immigrants admitted			New arrivals			Adjustments		
	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²	Total	Subject to worldwide limits ¹	Not subject to worldwide limits ²
North America	344,805	143,470	201,335	140,286	81,694	58,592	204,519	61,776	142,743
Canada	16,210	8,331	7,879	3,366	2,045	1,321	12,844	6,286	6,558
Mexico	173,919	81,858	92,061	68,490	40,009	28,481	105,429	41,849	63,580
United States	35	17	18	15	10	5	20	7	13
Caribbean	88,198	37,238	50,960	50,108	31,313	18,795	38,090	5,925	32,165
Anguilla	27	13	14	14	8	6	13	5	8
Antigua-Barbuda	431	220	211	219	167	52	212	53	159
Aruba	25	6	19	9	4	5	16	2	14
Bahamas, The	768	223	545	97	44	53	671	179	492
Barbados	783	363	420	283	189	94	500	174	326
Bermuda	72	15	57	27	6	21	45	9	36
British Virgin Islands	67	35	32	44	32	12	23	3	20
Cayman Islands	31	6	25	13	3	10	18	3	15
Cuba	20,831	3,384	17,447	4,408	3,318	1,090	16,423	66	16,357
Dominica	96	12	84	2	2	-	94	10	84
Dominican Republic	17,536	9,659	7,877	12,390	8,732	3,658	5,146	927	4,219
Grenada	655	343	312	326	225	101	329	118	211
Guadeloupe	51	25	26	23	16	7	28	9	19
Haiti	22,364	10,714	11,650	18,110	9,470	8,640	4,254	1,244	3,010
Jamaica	16,000	7,803	8,197	10,043	6,313	3,730	5,957	1,490	4,467
Martinique	20	7	13	8	6	2	12	1	11
Montserrat	71	32	39	26	20	6	45	12	33
Netherlands Antilles	53	18	35	11	9	2	42	9	33
Puerto Rico	3	-	3	1	-	1	2	-	2
St. Kitts-Nevis	504	293	211	321	253	68	183	40	143
St. Lucia	601	284	317	307	206	101	294	78	216
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	500	247	253	238	151	87	262	96	166
Trinidad and Tobago ...	6,660	3,520	3,140	3,184	2,138	1,046	3,476	1,382	2,094
Turks and Caicos Islands	46	16	30	4	1	3	42	15	27
U.S. Virgin Islands	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3
Central America	66,443	16,026	50,417	18,307	8,317	9,990	48,136	7,709	40,427
Belize	760	343	417	326	212	114	434	131	303
Costa Rica	1,324	322	1,002	410	121	289	914	201	713
El Salvador	22,578	8,260	14,318	8,483	4,201	4,282	14,095	4,059	10,036
Guatemala	9,970	3,323	6,647	4,185	1,512	2,673	5,785	1,811	3,974
Honduras	5,939	2,249	3,690	2,904	1,269	1,635	3,035	980	2,055
Nicaragua	24,029	799	23,230	994	462	532	23,035	337	22,698
Panama	1,843	730	1,113	1,005	540	465	838	190	648
South America	56,074	23,916	32,158	24,392	13,904	10,488	31,682	10,012	21,670
Argentina	2,331	978	1,353	610	375	235	1,721	603	1,118
Bolivia	1,772	1,028	744	710	397	313	1,062	631	431
Brazil	6,959	3,011	3,948	1,427	666	761	5,532	2,345	3,187
Chile	1,712	577	1,135	558	242	316	1,154	335	819
Colombia	14,498	4,611	9,887	6,111	2,869	3,242	8,387	1,742	6,645
Ecuador	7,685	3,647	4,038	4,755	2,726	2,029	2,930	921	2,009
French Guiana	13	4	9	3	1	2	10	3	7
Guyana	5,746	4,056	1,690	4,284	3,415	869	1,462	641	821
Paraguay	342	159	183	154	80	74	188	79	109
Peru	9,613	3,896	5,717	4,420	2,405	2,015	5,193	1,491	3,702
Suriname	257	160	97	140	119	21	117	41	76
Uruguay	430	179	251	112	58	54	318	121	197
Venezuela	4,716	1,610	3,106	1,108	551	557	3,608	1,059	2,549
Unknown or not reported	1,181	425	756	320	157	163	861	268	593

¹ World-wide numerical limits include family-sponsored preferences, legalization dependents, employment-based preferences, and diversity programs.

² Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens in previous editions of the *Statistical Yearbook* are included with admissions not subject to a numerical cap. Immediate relatives may immigrate without limit but the number affects the limit set for family-sponsored preference immigrants. ³ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 8. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

Region and country of birth	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity program	IRCA legalization	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents					
All countries	849,807	235,280	107,024	347,870	197,525	82,726	67,619	65,941	50,945	421	12,349	29,977
Europe	132,480	9,166	16,976	45,008	30,370	11,319	3,319	33,106	24,585	4	647	2,988
Albania	4,756	251	56	470	258	45	167	66	3,909	-	3	1
Andorra	5	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	1,259	22	102	386	240	45	101	114	473	-	7	155
Austria	409	14	89	227	191	24	12	18	49	-	-	12
Azerbaijan	1,054	7	27	155	85	16	54	455	159	-	8	243
Belarus	2,207	24	83	310	165	105	40	1,227	459	-	9	95
Belgium	679	25	225	350	303	25	22	5	57	-	1	16
Bosnia-Herzegovina.....	11,828	16	29	104	81	9	14	11,627	47	-	5	-
Bulgaria	4,925	49	329	782	400	297	85	38	3,660	-	55	12
Croatia	1,078	26	59	211	169	11	31	689	81	-	10	2
Czech Republic ..	244	11	25	165	144	15	6	3	40	-	-	-
Czechoslovakia ²	671	23	95	469	416	32	21	8	63	1	5	7
Denmark	541	11	147	346	319	19	8	1	35	-	-	1
Estonia	241	1	17	103	77	25	1	57	57	-	-	6
Finland	378	8	115	217	203	9	5	-	35	-	-	3
France	3,465	141	1,107	1,864	1,650	137	77	13	320	-	6	14
Georgia	495	14	38	145	82	28	35	134	137	-	1	26
Germany	7,638	215	1,503	4,065	3,508	401	156	435	1,375	-	6	39
Gibraltar	5	-	2	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	970	94	157	621	488	56	77	5	80	-	-	13
Hungary	1,025	38	214	621	505	71	45	9	123	-	17	3
Iceland	129	7	33	71	61	9	1	-	18	-	-	-
Ireland	1,315	42	277	741	683	37	21	1	240	1	-	13
Italy	2,489	150	570	1,579	1,322	105	152	7	171	1	2	9
Kazakhstan	1,509	4	30	589	151	416	22	472	292	-	1	121
Kyrgyzstan	396	-	3	96	61	34	1	174	76	-	-	47
Latvia	552	11	39	212	130	74	8	134	128	-	5	23
Liechtenstein	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	1,354	35	52	335	212	100	23	55	863	-	2	12
Luxembourg	26	3	7	14	11	3	-	-	2	-	-	-
Macedonia	794	142	19	333	205	70	58	34	232	-	33	1
Malta	55	8	11	28	26	1	1	-	6	-	2	-
Moldova	1,273	16	26	233	109	105	19	729	191	-	1	77
Monaco	12	2	4	5	4	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Netherlands	1,351	50	481	747	705	34	8	3	65	-	-	5
Norway	462	20	69	346	320	19	7	1	25	-	-	1
Poland	10,114	5,461	1,598	2,803	1,889	532	382	57	24	1	62	108
Portugal	1,372	413	284	635	450	60	125	-	27	-	11	2
Romania	6,879	365	497	2,956	1,322	1,301	333	68	2,869	-	108	16
Russia	17,110	146	1,488	8,319	2,891	5,061	367	3,985	2,459	-	41	672
Slovak Republic	549	17	64	260	201	40	19	5	201	-	-	2
Slovenia	76	1	13	32	29	-	3	18	12	-	-	-
Soviet Union ²	3,332	15	226	393	309	57	27	2,443	42	-	22	191
Spain	1,264	61	245	849	724	57	68	41	58	-	1	9
Sweden	1,269	32	282	812	757	43	12	3	134	-	-	6
Switzerland	1,039	19	277	500	447	34	19	12	219	-	1	11
Tajikistan	157	3	14	19	15	3	1	47	67	-	1	6
Turkmenistan	100	-	4	25	13	6	6	40	29	-	-	2
Ukraine	15,810	137	422	2,672	1,310	1,117	245	7,742	3,970	-	25	842
United Kingdom..	13,385	869	5,252	6,971	6,154	540	277	10	191	-	7	85
Uzbekistan	1,659	16	51	146	89	33	24	965	412	-	4	65
Yugoslavia ²	2,774	129	217	671	483	55	133	1,156	402	-	185	14
Asia	265,400	81,238	59,365	101,748	55,148	21,728	24,872	13,342	7,244	11	537	1,915
Afghanistan	1,012	263	66	544	383	44	117	113	17	1	8	-
Bahrain	106	29	36	33	22	8	3	-	7	-	-	1
Bangladesh	7,215	2,287	680	2,408	1,095	395	918	95	1,720	-	17	8

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 8. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity program	IRCA legalization	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents					
Bhutan	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Brunei	16	3	2	11	6	4	1	-	-	-	-	-
Burma	1,201	557	66	246	128	15	103	51	277	-	2	2
Cambodia	2,142	379	72	1,600	921	548	131	36	45	-	-	10
China, People's Republic	45,652	12,603	13,772	18,733	6,545	6,621	5,567	486	19	1	22	16
Cyprus	162	9	32	99	88	5	6	-	21	-	-	1
Hong Kong	5,419	3,482	844	902	667	112	123	36	124	-	8	23
India	42,046	14,267	15,557	11,543	5,645	1,267	4,631	466	101	2	42	68
Indonesia	1,774	247	240	870	627	80	163	14	394	1	1	7
Iran	8,519	2,340	936	3,802	1,588	181	2,033	956	355	2	72	56
Iraq	5,134	596	93	918	523	47	348	3,483	37	-	6	1
Israel	2,806	261	745	1,577	1,216	159	202	5	182	-	18	18
Japan	7,094	230	2,136	4,381	4,037	202	142	4	321	-	2	20
Jordan	3,909	1,205	205	2,396	1,489	341	566	10	66	1	15	11
Korea	15,830	3,564	5,580	6,610	3,475	2,149	986	6	11	1	20	38
Kuwait	1,018	351	125	492	444	46	2	16	28	-	2	4
Laos	1,380	126	26	504	405	33	66	708	2	-	11	3
Lebanon	3,674	1,476	334	1,758	1,212	152	394	30	41	-	29	6
Macau	270	201	23	29	13	6	10	-	16	-	-	1
Malaysia	1,556	274	493	685	572	47	66	30	52	-	13	9
Maldives	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	46	-	1	36	24	12	-	3	6	-	-	-
Nepal	617	44	258	207	151	34	22	1	104	-	3	-
Oman	51	16	24	3	2	-	1	1	6	-	-	1
Pakistan	14,535	4,769	1,981	5,823	2,961	1,785	1,077	134	1,759	1	24	44
Philippines	42,474	14,207	10,167	17,830	9,609	4,099	4,122	22	12	1	168	67
Qatar	97	37	15	31	23	8	-	-	14	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	1,063	271	233	282	193	81	8	52	204	-	3	18
Singapore	671	66	262	302	271	19	12	-	27	-	-	14
Sri Lanka	1,123	192	360	307	198	26	83	16	236	-	10	2
Syria	2,374	842	218	1,110	686	116	308	149	38	-	13	4
Taiwan	9,040	4,131	2,768	2,105	1,453	241	411	1	12	-	10	13
Thailand	3,785	581	328	1,978	1,385	416	177	810	73	-	3	12
Turkey	2,613	269	407	1,144	874	115	155	28	747	-	7	11
United Arab Emirates	436	198	88	66	52	14	-	1	80	-	1	2
Vietnam	26,747	10,473	148	9,121	5,585	1,653	1,883	5,576	2	-	4	1,423
Yemen	1,789	392	44	1,259	577	647	35	2	88	-	3	1
Africa	44,731	4,206	4,351	16,720	10,800	3,228	2,692	3,365	15,810	8	218	53
Algeria	907	22	69	270	242	11	17	23	521	-	1	1
Angola	88	33	4	47	35	10	2	2	2	-	-	-
Benin	62	2	6	22	16	5	1	6	26	-	-	-
Botswana	13	-	3	7	6	1	-	-	3	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	48	3	12	22	22	-	-	9	2	-	-	-
Burundi	28	-	3	4	4	-	-	18	2	-	1	-
Cameroon	865	23	51	303	184	69	50	16	467	-	5	-
Cape Verde	1,083	528	10	541	243	179	119	-	-	-	4	-
Central African Republic	4	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Chad	23	-	-	6	5	-	1	14	3	-	-	-
Comoros	3	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Dem. Rep.	124	3	23	48	43	3	2	46	1	1	2	-
Congo, Republic	191	8	21	46	26	13	7	8	106	-	1	1
Cote d'Ivoire	439	27	35	305	231	70	4	14	57	-	1	-
Djibouti	14	1	2	6	5	1	-	1	4	-	-	-
Egypt	4,461	863	406	1,620	1,162	181	277	26	1,506	-	27	13
Equatorial Guinea	5	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Eritrea	383	38	14	250	151	28	71	7	73	-	1	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 8. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity program	IRCA legalization	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents					
Ethiopia	4,061	355	107	1,537	856	369	312	270	1,778	-	13	1
Gabon	18	-	-	16	11	5	-	-	2	-	-	-
Gambia, The	232	21	15	160	136	18	6	15	11	-	10	-
Ghana	4,344	587	223	1,741	1,026	565	150	46	1,737	-	10	-
Guinea	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	204	8	10	129	95	27	7	14	41	-	1	1
Kenya	2,210	193	278	635	476	93	66	241	850	2	7	4
Lesotho	9	-	3	4	2	1	1	-	2	-	-	-
Liberia	1,575	217	63	552	250	198	104	273	424	2	43	1
Libya	181	28	11	110	81	13	16	5	23	-	4	-
Madagascar	33	-	10	22	15	4	3	-	-	-	1	-
Malawi	61	7	7	31	26	4	1	-	16	-	-	-
Mali	109	2	20	67	61	5	1	1	16	-	3	-
Mauritania	88	-	4	9	9	-	-	64	11	-	-	-
Mauritius	54	3	14	17	14	1	2	1	19	-	-	-
Morocco	3,626	87	174	1,295	1,100	67	128	1	2,066	-	3	-
Mozambique	41	6	9	23	18	2	3	-	2	-	-	1
Namibia	30	1	12	12	10	1	1	-	5	-	-	-
Niger	30	-	2	23	19	1	3	-	5	-	-	-
Nigeria	7,853	477	805	3,593	2,067	646	880	78	2,822	1	59	18
Rwanda	73	2	1	11	9	1	1	52	7	-	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe	8	1	1	6	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	555	50	33	377	282	87	8	10	80	-	5	-
Seychelles	18	3	2	13	10	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	1,590	180	76	699	227	307	165	42	586	-	6	1
Somalia	2,465	31	10	142	74	28	40	1,817	461	-	4	-
South Africa	2,833	115	1,392	900	701	86	113	1	419	-	-	6
St. Helena	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	1,538	29	30	230	150	26	54	210	1,033	-	3	3
Swaziland	12	1	2	8	6	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
Tanzania	481	97	88	177	128	23	26	1	116	-	1	1
Togo	388	8	19	63	54	6	3	17	279	-	2	-
Tunisia	308	9	47	176	160	6	10	-	76	-	-	-
Uganda	423	90	64	187	134	29	24	12	68	2	-	-
Western Sahara ..	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	211	28	67	85	69	13	3	-	30	-	-	1
Zimbabwe	323	19	90	165	138	18	9	2	47	-	-	-
Oceania	5,136	893	849	2,536	2,117	257	162	24	808	4	13	9
American Samoa	7	1	-	6	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Australia	2,059	67	552	1,237	1,110	117	10	-	189	1	4	9
Cook Islands	3	-	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	1,487	651	24	325	205	33	87	24	457	-	6	-
French Polynesia	14	-	-	14	11	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kiribati	3	-	1	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	3	-	-	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	5	-	-	5	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nauru	3	-	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia	3	-	1	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	972	44	248	567	510	54	3	-	112	1	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	6	4	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	22	2	2	12	10	2	-	-	6	-	-	-
Samoa	184	14	7	156	110	13	33	-	5	2	-	-
Solomon Islands	7	-	-	7	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	351	110	10	190	136	27	27	-	38	-	3	-
Tuvalu	2	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	2	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 8. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity program	IRCA legalization	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents					
North America	344,805	124,442	17,750	150,380	79,441	39,158	31,781	15,233	1,226	385	10,510	24,879
Canada	16,210	884	7,325	7,482	6,288	1,078	116	11	122	4	2	380
Mexico	173,919	77,857	3,950	88,997	47,281	20,808	20,908	51	4	332	2,382	346
United States	35	4	10	13	8	1	4	3	3	-	1	1
Caribbean	88,198	33,668	2,601	33,785	16,274	10,957	6,554	14,715	968	7	155	2,299
Anguilla	27	10	3	14	7	6	1	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	431	198	20	209	136	33	40	-	2	1	-	1
Aruba	25	4	2	19	15	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas, The ...	768	167	41	520	352	147	21	-	15	1	3	21
Barbados	783	248	111	414	291	94	29	-	4	1	2	3
Bermuda	72	8	7	55	43	8	4	1	-	-	-	1
British Virgin Is.	67	34	1	32	13	17	2	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	31	3	3	25	11	12	2	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	20,831	2,621	51	1,320	647	338	335	14,362	712	-	21	1,744
Dominica	96	11	1	83	64	12	7	-	-	-	1	-
Dominican Rep.	17,536	9,412	232	7,788	4,595	2,111	1,082	23	15	-	21	45
Grenada	655	264	69	310	201	79	30	-	10	-	2	-
Guadeloupe	51	17	5	25	12	11	2	-	3	-	1	-
Haiti	22,364	10,498	205	10,845	3,149	4,124	3,572	322	11	1	44	438
Jamaica	16,000	7,047	754	8,146	4,416	2,756	974	5	2	2	20	24
Martinique	20	4	1	12	10	1	1	1	2	-	-	-
Montserrat	71	25	7	38	19	5	14	-	-	-	1	-
Netherlands Antilles	53	6	8	35	28	5	2	-	4	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
St. Kitts-Nevis ..	504	277	15	204	104	60	40	-	1	-	5	2
St. Lucia	601	231	51	315	203	76	36	-	2	-	-	2
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	500	187	53	248	158	56	34	-	7	-	4	1
Trinidad and Tobago	6,660	2,380	961	3,095	1,784	988	323	-	178	1	29	16
Turks and Caicos Islands	46	16	-	29	12	14	3	-	-	-	1	-
U.S. Virgin Is.	3	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	66,443	12,029	3,864	20,103	9,590	6,314	4,199	453	129	42	7,970	21,853
Belize	760	288	40	406	237	118	51	1	15	2	5	3
Costa Rica	1,324	172	132	929	671	212	46	14	18	1	15	43
El Salvador	22,578	6,043	2,213	7,863	3,443	1,705	2,715	76	-	21	6,234	128
Guatemala	9,970	2,523	770	4,970	1,993	2,391	586	139	30	9	1,455	74
Honduras	5,939	1,867	357	3,491	1,810	1,214	467	63	25	4	107	25
Nicaragua	24,029	662	123	1,372	741	411	220	149	14	5	138	21,566
Panama	1,843	474	229	1,072	695	263	114	11	27	-	16	14
South America	56,074	15,166	7,541	30,824	19,135	6,959	4,730	813	1,208	8	415	99
Argentina	2,331	237	604	1,294	935	166	193	27	137	-	25	7
Bolivia	1,772	364	638	717	381	235	101	13	26	-	11	3
Brazil	6,959	525	2,240	3,858	2,969	637	252	33	246	-	45	12
Chile	1,712	305	251	1,093	771	203	119	22	21	2	14	4
Colombia	14,498	3,693	897	9,543	5,740	2,362	1,441	215	21	4	104	21
Ecuador	7,685	2,842	680	3,898	2,056	1,021	821	30	124	-	82	29
French Guiana	13	3	1	9	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	5,746	3,716	299	1,672	934	374	364	2	41	-	14	2
Paraguay	342	74	78	178	123	44	11	3	7	-	2	-
Peru	9,613	2,655	858	5,333	3,071	1,117	1,145	278	383	2	94	10
Suriname	257	113	40	87	55	26	6	3	7	-	7	-
Uruguay	430	65	97	243	173	30	40	4	17	-	1	3
Venezuela	4,716	574	858	2,899	1,923	739	237	183	178	-	16	8
Unknown or not reported	1,181	169	192	654	514	77	63	58	64	1	9	34

¹ Includes persons entering under the Amerasian, former H-1 registered nurse, Cuban/Haitian entrant, Soviet and Indochinese parolee, and 1972 Registry provisions.

² Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 9. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

Region and country of last permanent residence	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity programs	IRCA legalization	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents					
All countries	849,807	235,280	107,024	347,870	197,525	82,726	67,619	65,941	50,945	421	12,349	29,977
Europe	133,362	10,291	16,947	45,508	30,658	11,322	3,528	32,907	24,119	-	637	2,953
Albania	819	163	45	415	217	39	159	63	130	-	2	1
Andorra	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	1,278	24	100	407	242	36	129	95	462	-	8	182
Austria	997	33	95	269	206	24	39	534	54	-	-	12
Azerbaijan	601	3	12	94	55	12	27	281	57	-	6	148
Belarus	2,048	16	76	290	159	103	28	1,161	411	-	8	86
Belgium	827	47	262	406	342	31	33	8	89	-	1	14
Bosnia- Herzegovina	3,286	15	18	79	65	7	7	3,160	10	-	4	-
Bulgaria	4,784	46	298	745	371	291	83	37	3,593	-	53	12
Croatia	3,934	27	46	204	165	13	26	3,593	54	-	8	2
Czech Republic ..	250	12	17	167	145	17	5	18	36	-	-	-
Czechoslovakia ² ..	638	22	83	433	387	31	15	24	65	-	5	6
Denmark	556	32	150	326	299	16	11	10	38	-	-	-
Estonia	284	-	16	100	74	23	3	94	65	-	-	9
Finland	378	8	111	217	201	11	5	-	39	-	-	3
France	4,093	303	1,275	2,099	1,839	136	124	16	379	-	8	13
Georgia	340	6	27	111	72	17	22	79	93	-	1	23
Germany	12,372	546	1,704	4,673	3,914	442	317	3,830	1,574	-	4	41
Gibraltar	2	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	5,138	223	151	741	594	60	87	133	3,881	-	1	8
Hungary	1,027	42	177	595	490	72	33	68	126	-	17	2
Iceland	133	7	31	77	66	10	1	1	17	-	-	-
Ireland	1,279	44	231	735	676	41	18	1	256	-	-	12
Italy	2,695	189	539	1,668	1,411	110	147	88	203	-	2	6
Kazakhstan	960	2	18	150	106	23	21	439	233	-	-	118
Kyrgyzstan	387	1	3	91	54	33	4	167	79	-	-	46
Latvia	640	12	41	219	138	71	10	197	132	-	5	34
Liechtenstein	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Lithuania	1,364	35	37	334	214	106	14	65	878	-	3	12
Luxembourg	37	6	5	21	19	2	-	1	4	-	-	-
Macedonia	761	137	17	326	204	70	52	20	222	-	38	1
Malta	55	9	1	28	26	1	1	2	13	-	2	-
Moldova	1,271	12	26	207	93	99	15	763	187	-	2	74
Monaco	14	3	4	3	2	1	-	-	4	-	-	-
Netherlands	1,466	103	505	756	684	51	21	31	65	-	-	6
Norway	513	26	89	359	323	24	12	7	31	-	-	1
Poland	9,773	5,414	1,437	2,711	1,771	570	370	31	16	-	61	103
Portugal	1,402	428	283	652	463	60	129	-	27	-	10	2
Romania	6,521	345	394	2,850	1,236	1,301	313	58	2,755	-	105	14
Russia	17,661	136	1,411	8,542	2,777	5,434	331	4,749	2,073	-	40	710
San Marino	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Slovak Republic ..	527	18	59	235	180	40	15	18	195	-	-	2
Slovenia	82	1	9	26	25	-	1	40	6	-	-	-
Soviet Union ²	1,982	5	99	292	225	47	20	1,368	39	-	19	160
Spain	1,406	109	225	886	769	60	57	104	68	-	1	13
Sweden	1,464	70	332	878	806	49	23	9	169	-	-	6
Switzerland	1,349	45	368	600	540	31	29	67	257	-	1	11
Tajikistan	46	-	9	7	6	1	-	25	3	-	-	2
Turkmenistan	69	-	1	19	12	5	2	26	21	-	-	2
Ukraine	15,611	108	337	2,564	1,285	1,067	212	7,807	3,878	-	27	890
United Kingdom..	14,532	1,323	5,564	7,139	6,178	552	409	11	405	-	7	83
Uzbekistan	1,553	10	28	135	88	30	17	977	330	-	4	69
Yugoslavia ²	4,150	125	179	623	442	50	131	2,631	394	-	184	14
Asia	255,860	79,087	55,124	99,125	53,334	21,573	24,218	11,686	8,426	2	530	1,880
Afghanistan	256	22	24	102	93	2	7	100	1	-	7	-
Bahrain	202	30	72	91	75	9	7	-	9	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 9. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of last permanent residence	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity programs	IRCA legalization	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents					
Bangladesh	6,966	2,279	615	2,377	1,066	395	916	95	1,575	-	17	8
Bhutan	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Brunei	16	1	1	10	10	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
Burma	978	432	48	210	108	14	88	33	251	-	2	2
Cambodia	1,884	265	67	1,482	826	547	109	19	45	-	-	6
China, People's Republic	41,861	11,332	12,350	17,688	6,273	6,603	4,812	459	3	-	19	10
Cyprus	176	10	33	111	93	10	8	-	21	-	-	1
Hong Kong	7,199	4,512	889	1,558	950	132	476	74	129	-	7	30
India	39,072	13,688	13,872	10,851	5,336	1,255	4,260	458	96	1	42	64
Indonesia	1,635	205	222	803	577	78	148	11	386	-	1	7
Iran	6,505	1,866	692	3,257	1,345	167	1,745	325	260	-	69	36
Iraq	3,020	400	46	723	399	43	281	1,820	24	-	6	1
Israel	3,893	317	938	1,788	1,391	181	216	9	792	-	30	19
Japan	7,730	270	2,300	4,792	4,321	285	186	5	339	-	2	22
Jordan	4,488	1,419	220	2,658	1,688	353	617	116	49	-	15	11
Korea	15,214	3,482	5,166	6,499	3,383	2,151	965	4	6	-	19	38
Kuwait	708	163	116	305	261	14	30	13	106	-	2	3
Laos	639	80	24	421	332	32	57	101	1	-	11	1
Lebanon	3,395	1,391	256	1,661	1,098	151	412	24	29	-	29	5
Macau	376	285	25	50	25	5	20	-	15	-	-	1
Malaysia	1,416	253	431	642	534	43	65	18	49	-	13	10
Maldives	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	35	-	1	28	20	8	-	-	6	-	-	-
Nepal	598	46	244	205	139	35	31	-	100	-	3	-
Oman	205	44	102	18	10	2	6	1	39	-	-	1
Pakistan	14,791	4,847	1,820	6,272	3,121	1,811	1,340	174	1,613	-	21	44
Philippines	40,587	14,000	9,518	16,790	8,780	3,957	4,053	28	4	1	166	80
Qatar	230	69	33	53	38	9	6	1	74	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	2,444	360	466	443	318	63	62	563	589	-	4	19
Singapore	1,013	85	456	406	356	25	25	-	53	-	-	13
Sri Lanka	915	145	283	259	166	25	68	16	201	-	10	1
Syria	2,259	795	182	1,057	661	121	275	174	36	-	13	2
Taiwan	9,478	4,443	2,603	2,399	1,448	245	706	-	11	-	9	13
Thailand	4,387	613	335	1,929	1,344	396	189	1,416	75	-	3	16
Turkey	2,713	278	379	1,143	879	124	140	162	739	-	4	8
United Arab Emirates	1,220	461	216	242	157	29	56	1	298	-	-	2
Vietnam	25,340	9,839	46	8,587	5,154	1,635	1,798	5,460	-	-	3	1,405
Yemen	2,013	360	33	1,213	557	618	38	5	398	-	3	1
Africa	40,969	3,851	3,673	15,613	9,805	3,214	2,594	3,245	14,322	1	209	55
Algeria	776	16	32	220	195	11	14	24	482	-	1	1
Angola	39	7	1	26	18	5	3	4	1	-	-	-
Benin	64	5	4	22	14	7	1	18	15	-	-	-
Botswana	40	-	4	19	13	6	-	-	17	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	63	4	10	23	22	1	-	26	-	-	-	-
Burundi	14	-	2	5	2	2	1	6	-	-	1	-
Cameroon	795	23	48	281	164	68	49	9	429	-	5	-
Cape Verde	1,076	523	10	538	246	183	109	1	-	-	4	-
Cen. African Rep.	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chad	12	-	-	7	6	-	1	4	1	-	-	-
Comoros	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Dem. Rep.	92	3	19	37	33	2	2	30	1	-	2	-
Congo, Republic	148	6	15	31	22	6	3	10	84	-	1	1
Cote d'Ivoire	967	55	41	322	229	81	12	86	462	-	1	-
Djibouti	21	3	5	13	6	3	4	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	4,331	820	328	1,636	1,165	205	266	70	1,438	-	26	13
Equatorial Guinea	3	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eritrea	163	10	8	128	69	13	46	2	15	-	-	-
Ethiopia	3,654	318	95	1,402	713	363	326	284	1,541	-	13	1

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 9. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of last permanent residence	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity programs	IRCA legalization	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents					
Gabon	23	1	-	20	16	4	-	1	1	-	-	-
Gambia, The	312	31	17	200	140	41	19	37	17	-	10	-
Ghana	4,294	592	176	1,709	963	593	153	87	1,720	-	10	-
Guinea	4	-	-	2	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	268	16	21	169	89	64	16	27	33	-	1	1
Kenya	3,649	161	226	661	455	122	84	1,681	909	-	7	4
Lesotho	10	-	1	5	4	1	-	-	4	-	-	-
Liberia	1,229	176	60	469	218	162	89	113	367	1	42	1
Libya	99	12	6	58	35	8	15	7	12	-	4	-
Madagascar	19	-	3	15	11	4	-	-	1	-	-	-
Malawi	53	7	6	27	22	2	3	-	13	-	-	-
Mali	94	1	19	58	55	3	-	-	13	-	3	-
Mauritania	77	-	1	8	8	-	-	60	8	-	-	-
Mauritius	41	-	9	14	13	1	-	1	17	-	-	-
Morocco	3,435	82	114	1,194	1,009	67	118	2	2,040	-	3	-
Mozambique	22	3	2	16	12	3	1	-	-	-	-	1
Namibia	26	5	10	11	9	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Niger	34	-	2	24	20	1	3	2	6	-	-	-
Nigeria	7,536	473	711	3,458	1,952	640	866	77	2,745	-	55	17
Rwanda	36	-	1	5	5	-	-	26	4	-	-	-
Sao Tome and Principe	8	-	1	7	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	592	59	30	379	264	103	12	42	77	-	5	-
Seychelles	14	2	-	12	9	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	925	130	56	544	187	225	132	25	162	-	6	2
Somalia	433	5	3	30	22	1	7	344	47	-	3	1
South Africa	2,821	119	1,333	893	664	87	142	1	467	-	1	7
St. Helena	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	947	21	18	175	119	18	38	106	620	-	3	4
Swaziland	19	-	3	15	11	3	1	-	1	-	-	-
Tanzania	365	58	49	152	105	23	24	-	105	-	-	1
Togo	384	9	17	59	51	6	2	11	286	-	2	-
Tunisia	264	7	36	154	144	6	4	-	67	-	-	-
Uganda	286	39	43	153	112	30	11	16	35	-	-	-
Western Sahara ..	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	176	27	44	75	49	14	12	1	29	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	211	22	32	125	103	18	4	2	30	-	-	-
Oceania	5,962	1,096	1,111	2,851	2,361	289	201	25	854	2	12	11
American Samoa	16	1	3	12	10	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Australia	2,712	212	785	1,467	1,312	126	29	1	234	-	3	10
Cook Islands	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	1,438	634	25	316	196	33	87	21	436	-	6	-
French Polynesia	14	-	-	14	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guam	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
Kiribati	2	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall Islands..	8	-	4	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States	7	-	-	7	5	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Nauru	3	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Caledonia ...	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	1,088	128	255	564	493	52	19	-	139	1	-	1
Northern Mariana Islands	130	-	6	124	89	31	4	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	7	1	1	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Papua New Guinea	38	11	9	10	8	2	-	-	8	-	-	-
Samoa	165	11	7	141	98	12	31	-	5	1	-	-
Solomon Islands..	4	1	-	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	321	97	12	177	125	25	27	-	32	-	3	-
Tuvalu	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 9. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED CLASS OF ADMISSION AND REGION
AND COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of last permanent residence	Total	Family-sponsored preferences	Employment-based preferences	Immediate relatives of U.S. citizens				Refugee and asylee adjustments	Diversity programs	IRCA legalization	Cancellation of removal	Other ¹
				Total	Spouses	Children	Parents					
North America	341,809	124,832	19,157	150,407	79,691	38,842	31,874	14,306	1,813	98	10,350	20,846
Canada	21,475	2,135	9,099	9,147	7,627	1,109	411	26	691	1	2	374
Greenland	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Mexico	171,748	77,289	3,820	87,826	46,559	20,503	20,764	64	17	80	2,321	331
Caribbean	85,875	33,408	2,430	33,428	15,995	10,933	6,500	13,754	969	3	154	1,729
Anguilla	26	13	-	13	6	6	1	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua-Barbuda	471	216	27	224	144	36	44	-	2	1	-	1
Aruba	27	-	6	19	16	3	-	2	-	-	-	-
Bahamas, The	793	174	47	536	367	143	26	-	16	-	3	17
Barbados	820	259	121	431	296	102	33	-	4	-	2	3
Bermuda	98	9	6	74	62	4	8	1	7	-	-	1
British Virgin Is.	138	69	4	65	44	17	4	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	53	14	3	36	23	10	3	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	19,322	2,512	41	1,242	606	324	312	13,404	691	-	19	1,413
Dominica	90	11	-	78	60	12	6	-	-	-	1	-
Dominican Rep.	17,441	9,393	220	7,715	4,534	2,116	1,065	26	20	-	21	46
Grenada	627	248	67	300	193	86	21	-	10	-	2	-
Guadeloupe	37	12	3	20	10	9	1	-	1	-	1	-
Haiti	22,004	10,458	185	10,790	3,083	4,127	3,580	314	11	1	44	201
Jamaica	15,654	6,938	683	7,973	4,284	2,749	940	6	9	1	20	24
Martinique	16	4	-	11	9	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	52	13	8	30	14	4	12	-	-	-	1	-
Netherlands Antilles	67	13	7	41	33	5	3	-	6	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	8	-	4	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
St. Kitts-Nevis	490	278	11	193	100	57	36	-	1	-	5	2
St. Lucia	612	235	53	316	201	75	40	-	6	-	-	2
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	462	172	48	227	145	55	27	-	10	-	4	1
Trinidad and Tobago	6,514	2,350	886	3,057	1,743	980	334	-	175	-	30	16
Turks and Caicos Islands	46	17	-	28	14	12	2	-	-	-	1	-
U.S. Virgin Is.	7	-	-	7	6	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	62,708	12,000	3,808	20,005	9,509	6,297	4,199	462	134	14	7,873	18,412
Belize	777	292	41	424	247	119	58	1	12	-	5	2
Costa Rica	1,409	206	128	974	710	213	51	23	28	1	14	35
El Salvador	22,332	6,004	2,167	7,781	3,379	1,698	2,704	76	-	6	6,169	129
Guatemala	9,886	2,499	763	4,948	1,977	2,389	582	139	30	2	1,427	78
Honduras	5,876	1,864	354	3,444	1,778	1,201	465	62	23	1	105	23
Nicaragua	20,513	648	120	1,324	705	411	208	147	13	4	136	18,121
Panama	1,915	487	235	1,110	713	266	131	14	28	-	17	24
South America	55,392	15,049	7,296	30,496	18,812	6,890	4,794	843	1,194	1	414	99
Argentina	2,485	269	701	1,299	912	173	214	26	158	-	25	7
Bolivia	1,753	369	616	719	391	232	96	13	22	-	11	3
Brazil	6,783	568	2,090	3,803	2,909	617	277	32	235	-	45	10
Chile	1,672	312	228	1,067	762	200	105	26	23	-	13	3
Colombia	14,191	3,656	816	9,372	5,606	2,355	1,411	212	12	1	102	20
Ecuador	7,658	2,837	678	3,884	2,032	1,022	830	30	121	-	79	29
French Guiana	12	5	1	6	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	5,280	3,462	253	1,516	832	358	326	2	33	-	12	2
Paraguay	398	83	116	188	130	45	13	3	6	-	2	-
Peru	9,393	2,624	785	5,234	2,988	1,112	1,134	277	367	-	94	12
Suriname	282	128	39	97	56	26	15	3	7	-	8	-
Uruguay	400	63	91	226	154	32	40	3	13	-	1	3
Venezuela	5,085	673	882	3,085	2,037	715	333	216	197	-	22	10
Unknown or not reported	16,453	1,074	3,716	3,870	2,864	596	410	2,929	217	317	197	4,133

¹ Includes persons entering under the Amerasian, former H-1 registered nurse, Cuban/Haitian entrant, Soviet and Indochinese parolee, and 1972 Registry provisions.

² Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 10. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED WHO WERE ADJUSTED TO PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
BY SELECTED STATUS AT ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

Region and country of birth	Total	Visitors for business	Visitors for pleasure	Students ¹	Temporary workers ¹	Exchange visitors ¹	Fiances-(ees) ²	Intracompany transferees ¹	Refugees and parolees	Entered without inspection	Other and unknown
All countries	442,405	6,809	68,744	16,161	44,598	2,867	12,047	12,487	37,934	32,481	208,277
Europe	78,297	919	11,808	2,532	6,643	1,223	3,373	4,107	24,215	587	22,890
Albania	301	4	92	30	17	7	14	2	11	23	101
Andorra	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Armenia	698	12	204	16	49	7	11	6	59	6	328
Austria	241	6	47	18	38	6	15	14	12	2	83
Azerbaijan	806	2	55	3	14	3	5	6	320	4	394
Belarus	1,586	4	83	19	54	18	45	10	953	5	395
Belgium	407	3	54	15	92	16	22	83	4	3	115
Bosnia-Herzegovina	11,712	4	39	10	21	3	3	5	9,256	5	2,366
Bulgaria	858	24	221	132	173	51	22	11	3	7	214
Croatia	913	3	92	30	37	2	11	10	584	-	144
Czech Republic	92	1	56	3	7	2	2	3	4	-	14
Czechoslovakia ³	502	11	215	31	42	22	12	15	3	2	149
Denmark	319	6	64	19	70	13	11	45	1	-	90
Estonia	144	-	26	5	14	10	11	1	49	-	28
Finland	201	4	33	18	34	8	14	22	-	1	67
France	2,353	27	394	160	440	89	107	389	6	8	733
Georgia	294	4	71	16	18	2	1	1	87	-	94
Germany	4,132	75	710	228	537	114	225	478	402	8	1,355
Gibraltar	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Greece	564	14	237	67	103	5	10	11	2	1	114
Hungary	665	13	307	44	75	19	23	14	4	-	166
Iceland	64	2	15	9	12	2	3	10	-	-	11
Ireland	814	12	222	22	101	28	42	127	1	2	257
Italy	1,741	24	540	79	177	39	56	94	2	8	722
Kazakhstan	748	9	49	14	21	6	32	-	408	-	209
Kyrgyzstan	286	1	23	1	6	1	22	-	142	-	90
Latvia	372	6	79	20	28	13	34	-	102	2	88
Liechtenstein	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	326	7	102	15	17	22	30	4	44	2	83
Luxembourg	13	-	3	1	2	-	-	3	-	-	4
Macedonia	221	4	64	12	8	1	5	-	12	33	82
Malta	40	-	14	1	2	-	1	9	-	-	13
Moldova	919	5	39	10	13	1	23	-	599	-	229
Monaco	6	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	3
Netherlands	933	25	124	60	177	25	65	181	3	3	270
Norway	257	1	47	46	29	9	19	20	-	1	85
Poland	3,780	44	1,930	130	330	41	98	40	46	105	1,016
Portugal	877	8	437	24	26	3	29	18	4	68	260
Romania	1,658	54	581	98	252	21	105	28	14	10	495
Russia	9,448	203	1,198	341	883	236	882	146	3,057	13	2,489
Slovak Republic	222	7	94	18	29	7	17	3	4	1	42
Slovenia	57	-	8	5	8	2	3	-	17	-	14
Soviet Union ³	3,329	31	227	38	122	50	79	25	986	5	1,766
Spain	860	13	184	84	132	29	39	38	6	5	330
Sweden	779	5	122	124	109	19	33	120	5	1	241
Switzerland	571	15	111	46	89	16	14	117	10	2	151
Tajikistan	77	1	6	2	10	1	3	-	30	-	24
Turkmenistan	57	-	4	-	2	2	2	-	24	-	23
Ukraine	10,489	65	600	97	228	64	504	20	5,963	9	2,939
United Kingdom....	9,379	147	1,578	272	1,866	161	628	1,960	9	25	2,733
Uzbekistan	1,178	5	66	15	18	10	13	10	580	1	460
Yugoslavia ³	2,004	7	341	83	110	16	28	5	387	216	811
Asia	107,455	3,046	18,532	9,505	30,152	1,152	5,296	3,601	5,293	1,350	29,528
Afghanistan	281	3	58	1	9	3	35	2	13	18	139
Bahrain	41	-	10	4	15	-	3	1	-	-	8
Bangladesh	1,226	27	208	137	264	12	1	25	6	86	460

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 10. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED WHO WERE ADJUSTED TO PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
BY SELECTED STATUS AT ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Visitors for business	Visitors for pleasure	Students ¹	Temporary workers ¹	Ex-change visitors ¹	Fiances-(ees) ²	Intracompany transferees ¹	Refugees and parolees	Entered without inspection	Other and unknown
Bhutan	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	10	-	3	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
Burma	213	4	62	27	25	1	10	4	18	-	62
Cambodia	587	2	138	7	37	2	67	-	29	5	300
China, People's Republic	17,292	933	2,132	2,984	6,105	651	723	993	39	271	2,461
Cyprus	100	3	19	31	26	1	-	3	2	-	15
Hong Kong	1,485	50	369	225	413	4	25	93	33	6	267
India	18,674	699	1,741	719	11,550	118	521	557	33	304	2,432
Indonesia	826	37	281	122	112	7	51	53	9	2	152
Iran	3,264	38	814	289	224	15	167	27	246	18	1,426
Iraq	3,802	5	78	14	50	5	43	5	789	13	2,800
Israel	1,704	45	707	110	191	40	22	105	3	12	469
Japan	4,309	39	710	888	578	54	298	387	9	10	1,336
Jordan	885	40	351	131	83	8	28	11	6	14	213
Korea	8,498	200	2,872	1,323	939	39	154	531	5	122	2,313
Kuwait	381	17	106	71	56	1	15	4	2	5	104
Laos	1,164	3	150	18	3	-	187	-	190	3	610
Lebanon	1,316	32	449	109	133	16	106	16	3	15	437
Macau	35	-	10	4	13	-	-	2	-	-	6
Malaysia	1,040	36	275	168	257	2	28	48	19	2	205
Mongolia	26	-	6	10	2	-	3	-	3	-	2
Nepal	376	7	101	96	70	9	8	1	-	-	84
Oman	17	-	-	1	7	-	-	6	-	-	3
Pakistan	3,740	91	842	257	730	24	97	82	23	188	1,406
Philippines	16,013	380	3,467	194	6,032	44	1,578	177	39	198	3,904
Qatar	37	-	14	11	7	-	1	-	-	-	4
Saudi Arabia	340	8	73	48	72	1	4	10	42	-	82
Singapore	478	15	69	55	147	2	18	80	2	3	87
Sri Lanka	539	27	98	70	176	15	5	11	-	6	131
Syria	880	28	359	57	86	3	66	3	6	4	268
Taiwan	4,162	147	893	717	1,348	33	22	276	1	5	720
Thailand	2,206	35	446	186	102	3	227	18	275	5	909
Turkey	1,129	44	287	210	180	30	12	47	13	15	291
United Arab Emirates	104	3	22	24	31	-	2	5	-	-	17
Vietnam	10,095	43	219	170	67	8	767	12	3,435	13	5,361
Yemen	178	4	92	15	9	1	2	6	-	7	42
Africa	17,116	593	4,672	1,577	1,893	225	517	564	2,081	378	4,616
Algeria	328	18	128	21	35	11	23	9	-	1	82
Angola	42	-	21	3	3	1	1	1	-	-	12
Benin	28	2	5	4	2	-	2	1	5	-	7
Botswana	7	-	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Burkina Faso	34	1	11	-	1	2	4	-	7	1	7
Burundi	24	1	3	-	-	-	-	1	12	-	7
Cameroon	249	8	53	63	17	6	10	3	5	4	80
Cape Verde	326	4	238	6	6	2	38	-	-	-	32
Central African Rep.	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Chad	17	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	11	-	5
Comoros	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Congo, Dem. Rep.	123	2	27	16	17	3	1	5	11	-	41
Congo, Republic ...	47	4	12	7	8	3	-	1	-	-	12
Cote d'Ivoire	283	21	112	29	13	11	2	1	7	7	80
Djibouti	6	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Egypt	1,266	63	545	67	187	16	21	36	8	22	301
Equatorial Guinea	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Eritrea	124	2	55	6	3	-	4	-	3	1	50
Ethiopia	934	23	253	127	31	11	17	7	70	4	391
Gabon	11	1	4	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	3

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 10. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED WHO WERE ADJUSTED TO PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
BY SELECTED STATUS AT ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Visitors for business	Visitors for pleasure	Students ¹	Temporary workers ¹	Ex-change visitors ¹	Fiances-(ees) ²	Intracompany transferees ¹	Refugees and parolees	Entered without inspection	Other and unknown
Gambia, The	165	10	59	44	1	-	3	-	1	-	47
Ghana	1,116	51	274	84	68	12	53	1	10	123	440
Guinea	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Guinea-Bissau	120	12	42	5	4	1	3	1	-	5	47
Kenya	987	23	126	278	96	9	14	28	191	7	215
Lesotho	4	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
Liberia	801	24	301	57	13	3	10	1	166	12	214
Libya	70	2	15	10	10	1	10	1	-	-	21
Madagascar	20	1	4	1	3	-	3	4	-	-	4
Malawi	29	-	7	9	2	1	2	2	-	-	6
Mali	64	10	20	4	9	-	3	-	1	2	15
Mauritania	75	1	9	4	2	-	-	-	-	23	36
Mauritius	26	1	3	6	8	-	-	2	-	-	6
Morocco	994	41	444	108	64	35	37	18	1	3	243
Mozambique	28	-	14	2	3	1	-	-	-	1	7
Namibia	20	1	-	6	4	1	-	4	-	-	4
Niger	23	1	8	3	-	1	-	-	-	1	9
Nigeria	2,941	156	896	243	350	45	150	23	23	139	916
Rwanda	59	-	7	4	-	-	1	-	35	-	12
Sao Tome and Principe	4	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Senegal	269	20	98	49	13	3	7	3	9	5	62
Seychelles	14	-	7	-	2	-	3	1	-	-	1
Sierra Leone	399	18	174	35	13	-	5	-	32	4	118
Somalia	1,876	2	15	5	3	-	8	-	1,376	1	466
South Africa	1,768	36	287	76	712	27	40	360	4	3	223
St. Helena	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	340	6	68	29	11	1	4	-	81	1	139
Swaziland	9	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	3
Tanzania	221	1	52	39	43	5	9	14	1	3	54
Togo	80	7	19	19	1	-	3	-	7	-	24
Tunisia	172	2	80	15	21	4	6	3	-	3	38
Uganda	226	10	78	34	26	4	4	9	3	1	57
Western Sahara	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Zambia	130	1	35	27	34	-	4	5	1	1	22
Zimbabwe	205	5	51	27	47	4	6	18	-	-	47
Oceania	2,475	45	834	126	358	52	182	249	5	19	605
American Samoa ...	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Australia	1,267	22	270	55	253	27	144	184	3	2	307
Cook Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Fiji	273	2	167	16	9	3	4	1	1	10	60
French Polynesia ...	12	-	4	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	4
Kiribati	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Marshall Islands ...	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Micronesia, Federated States	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Nauru	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
New Caledonia	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
New Zealand	533	13	136	22	95	21	28	62	-	2	154
Northern Mariana Islands	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Papua New Guinea	8	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Samoa	162	4	119	10	-	-	4	-	-	1	24
Solomon Islands ...	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	198	3	126	16	1	-	1	1	-	4	46
Tuvalu	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 10. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED WHO WERE ADJUSTED TO PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS
BY SELECTED STATUS AT ENTRY AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Visitors for business	Visitors for pleasure	Students ¹	Temporary workers ¹	Ex-change visitors ¹	Fiances-(ees) ²	Intracompany transferees ¹	Refugees and parolees	Entered without inspection	Other and unknown
North America	204,519	1,180	22,157	1,268	3,880	107	1,869	2,872	6,260	28,241	136,685
Canada	12,844	74	1,034	273	2,602	37	763	2,357	49	38	5,617
Mexico	105,429	283	9,038	180	516	21	515	395	54	21,202	73,225
United States	20	-	1	1	2	-	1	1	-	1	13
Caribbean	38,090	558	9,004	644	550	30	400	63	5,856	1,652	19,333
Anguilla	13	-	10	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1
Antigua-Barbuda	212	8	127	13	2	1	2	1	1	2	55
Aruba	16	-	5	3	-	1	-	1	-	-	6
Bahamas, The	671	6	168	53	16	-	8	1	1	2	416
Barbados	500	14	302	24	26	1	5	5	1	2	120
Bermuda	45	-	9	8	4	-	1	3	-	-	20
British Virgin Is.	23	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14
Cayman Islands ...	18	-	8	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	6
Cuba	16,423	40	422	15	42	4	70	8	5,727	151	9,944
Dominica	94	7	38	4	-	-	3	-	-	-	42
Dominican Rep. ...	5,146	123	1,667	64	155	5	129	7	7	952	2,037
Grenada	329	4	170	17	5	-	4	-	-	15	114
Guadeloupe	28	-	7	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	18
Haiti	4,254	40	1,069	58	16	-	41	-	110	274	2,646
Jamaica	5,957	204	2,480	195	168	16	99	20	2	193	2,580
Martinique	12	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	8
Montserrat	45	1	23	2	-	-	-	-	2	1	16
Netherlands											
Antilles	42	3	6	6	3	-	-	2	-	1	21
Puerto Rico	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
St. Kitts-Nevis....	183	6	110	9	4	-	1	-	-	2	51
St. Lucia	294	8	173	17	5	-	4	-	-	3	84
St. Vincent and the Grenadines ..	262	6	166	12	6	-	1	2	1	3	65
Trinidad and Tobago	3,476	88	2,025	143	91	2	32	12	4	49	1,030
Turks & Caicos Is.	42	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34
U.S. Virgin Is.	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Central America ...	48,136	265	3,080	170	210	19	190	56	301	5,348	38,497
Belize	434	9	164	10	9	-	2	-	-	14	226
Costa Rica	914	44	397	21	39	7	25	15	1	18	347
El Salvador	14,095	38	420	13	35	3	31	15	15	2,168	11,357
Guatemala	5,785	31	636	26	31	2	25	15	5	767	4,247
Honduras	3,035	51	402	27	23	2	56	1	1	453	2,019
Nicaragua	23,035	57	681	40	36	5	18	1	278	1,914	20,005
Panama	838	35	380	33	37	-	33	9	1	14	296
South America	31,682	1,009	10,555	1,099	1,584	102	775	1,058	36	1,884	13,580
Argentina	1,721	34	493	85	181	11	35	116	2	21	743
Bolivia	1,062	22	228	24	26	1	18	4	-	93	646
Brazil	5,532	99	2,134	301	468	23	105	445	9	77	1,871
Chile	1,154	51	443	33	71	11	27	37	1	18	462
Colombia	8,387	355	2,836	195	223	17	333	152	7	428	3,841
Ecuador	2,930	73	859	78	46	12	48	26	5	489	1,294
French Guiana	10	-	6	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Guyana	1,462	31	583	39	37	1	44	14	2	178	533
Paraguay	188	3	62	9	8	-	5	6	-	12	83
Peru	5,193	174	1,561	115	165	15	111	41	8	533	2,470
Suriname	117	3	62	5	8	-	1	1	-	-	37
Uruguay	318	10	106	10	22	2	6	4	-	19	139
Venezuela	3,608	154	1,182	204	329	9	42	211	2	16	1,459
Unknown or not reported	861	17	186	54	8	6	35	36	44	22	373

¹ Includes spouses and children. ² Includes children. ³ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.
- Represents zero.

**TABLE 11. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED IN FISCAL YEAR 2000, BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY,
TYPE OF ADMISSION, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH**

Region and country of birth	Total	New arrivals 1999- 2000	Adjustments											
			1999- 2000	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	Before 1990	Un- known
All countries	849,807	407,402	46,036	29,526	45,959	20,842	16,140	11,767	9,168	7,351	6,201	5,742	26,151	217,522
Europe	132,480	54,183	9,156	10,058	21,998	4,936	2,197	1,371	961	828	714	623	1,521	23,934
Albania	4,756	4,455	31	22	34	42	25	15	6	2	-	1	2	121
Andorra	5	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	1,259	561	39	36	86	45	22	53	30	30	23	8	5	321
Austria	409	168	47	39	31	14	9	3	1	2	5	2	7	81
Azerbaijan	1,054	248	20	72	242	40	10	6	5	4	-	1	3	403
Belarus	2,207	621	75	182	746	120	21	21	10	8	6	3	3	391
Belgium	679	272	104	68	52	23	9	4	4	8	4	2	7	122
Bosnia-Herzegovina..	11,828	116	31	1,787	6,916	489	48	21	12	6	5	7	27	2,363
Bulgaria	4,925	4,067	161	121	100	86	51	33	22	20	16	31	4	213
Croatia	1,078	165	40	108	515	47	8	11	3	6	8	5	15	147
Czech Republic	244	152	7	15	22	11	15	3	-	1	-	-	-	18
Czechoslovakia ¹	671	169	52	61	72	76	53	10	9	7	4	2	8	148
Denmark	541	222	71	50	28	24	9	8	6	2	7	4	7	103
Estonia	241	97	16	23	43	18	3	4	5	2	1	1	-	28
Finland	378	177	45	26	32	18	2	4	4	2	2	2	3	61
France	3,465	1,112	563	340	246	125	59	44	26	17	12	8	39	874
Georgia	495	201	23	38	82	18	13	11	14	3	2	4	1	85
Germany	7,638	3,506	816	665	608	242	138	75	59	33	14	12	86	1,384
Gibraltar	5	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	970	406	87	86	69	44	31	37	29	14	7	8	44	108
Hungary	1,025	360	95	70	123	97	36	21	23	15	7	9	15	154
Iceland	129	65	12	13	9	7	4	4	1	-	-	-	2	12
Ireland	1,315	501	187	109	59	33	19	20	13	5	5	8	15	341
Italy	2,489	748	303	163	95	77	32	39	21	9	8	3	49	942
Kazakhstan	1,509	761	45	108	316	56	10	8	4	2	1	-	5	193
Kyrgyzstan	396	110	15	66	121	17	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	66
Latvia	552	180	39	66	92	28	14	16	5	4	3	3	2	100
Liechtenstein	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	1,354	1,028	35	32	73	41	38	11	9	9	1	2	3	72
Luxembourg	26	13	4	2	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	3
Macedonia	794	573	13	22	20	17	8	3	3	-	3	3	6	123
Malta	55	15	8	7	3	4	2	3	1	-	-	-	2	10
Moldova	1,273	354	18	126	432	71	15	15	4	5	4	2	1	226
Monaco	12	6	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Netherlands	1,351	418	238	162	95	52	38	17	8	13	10	5	15	280
Norway	462	205	40	34	25	20	10	10	7	6	4	1	3	97
Poland	10,114	6,334	585	202	285	272	172	111	120	187	192	229	513	912
Portugal	1,372	495	168	78	64	51	45	41	29	18	12	16	93	262
Romania	6,879	5,221	225	167	194	159	142	62	26	36	59	82	24	482
Russia	17,110	7,662	1,211	1,377	2,854	639	307	152	133	114	94	57	33	2,477
Slovak Republic.....	549	327	26	29	30	22	23	12	15	3	6	1	4	51
Slovenia	76	19	10	7	17	4	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	16
Soviet Union ¹	3,332	3	164	244	760	153	80	43	26	35	25	15	22	1,762
Spain	1,264	404	132	97	78	67	35	11	18	5	5	6	21	385
Sweden	1,269	490	161	92	97	54	39	21	8	11	2	1	11	282
Switzerland	1,039	468	141	82	75	37	24	17	11	8	1	8	15	152
Tajikistan	157	80	5	10	24	5	3	2	2	-	1	1	1	23
Turkmenistan	100	43	4	5	17	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	23
Ukraine	15,810	5,321	473	1,300	4,437	790	213	116	90	65	59	12	20	2,914
United Kingdom	13,385	4,006	2,448	1,386	841	524	299	182	102	64	42	35	281	3,175
Uzbekistan	1,659	481	35	127	445	62	17	13	4	7	3	1	4	460
Yugoslavia ¹	2,774	770	84	136	392	86	44	55	32	39	50	22	99	965
Asia	265,400	157,945	22,592	9,848	12,715	8,930	7,573	5,003	3,538	2,900	2,383	1,699	4,537	25,737
Afghanistan	1,012	731	19	17	14	7	3	7	18	4	2	4	10	176
Bahrain	106	65	15	2	4	-	-	3	3	-	6	-	1	7
Bangladesh	7,215	5,989	237	81	63	61	57	55	85	33	32	22	51	449
Bhutan	3	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 11. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED IN FISCAL YEAR 2000, BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY,
TYPE OF ADMISSION, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	New arrivals 1999- 2000	Adjustments											
			1999- 2000	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	Before 1990	Un- known
Brunei	16	6	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	1	3
Burma	1,201	988	26	15	33	15	10	17	4	10	5	14	13	51
Cambodia	2,142	1,555	45	34	70	59	15	15	2	4	4	6	10	323
China, People's Republic	45,652	28,360	4,860	1,230	1,430	1,661	1,582	1,263	1,066	863	720	302	126	2,189
Cyprus	162	62	15	14	12	11	9	10	4	1	1	-	6	17
Hong Kong	5,419	3,934	319	145	115	128	106	83	82	56	49	35	101	266
India	42,046	23,372	6,831	2,940	2,411	1,496	876	522	284	230	226	114	304	2,440
Indonesia	1,774	948	143	99	110	87	59	42	31	24	25	13	54	139
Iran	8,519	5,255	302	220	352	132	130	92	59	52	44	55	358	1,468
Iraq	5,134	1,332	50	125	1,807	985	32	9	9	3	1	15	38	728
Israel	2,806	1,102	281	159	146	123	104	91	84	54	45	56	149	412
Japan	7,094	2,785	981	555	411	259	203	193	129	75	37	27	71	1,368
Jordan	3,909	3,024	79	66	85	83	55	38	37	31	17	40	120	234
Korea	15,830	7,332	1,909	736	893	736	497	389	388	330	392	252	459	1,517
Kuwait	1,018	637	48	24	19	29	14	11	18	12	7	24	63	112
Laos	1,380	216	116	71	48	122	26	46	12	20	19	31	30	623
Lebanon	3,674	2,358	169	114	81	66	45	64	41	27	27	16	198	468
Macau	270	235	9	2	3	2	6	1	1	2	-	2	3	4
Malaysia	1,556	516	235	117	103	81	48	48	32	26	23	28	126	173
Maldives	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	46	20	4	5	13	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Nepal	617	241	100	37	43	37	29	11	20	10	13	11	10	55
Oman	51	34	7	1	1	3	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	3
Pakistan	14,535	10,795	678	268	241	211	186	152	126	90	84	141	200	1,363
Philippines	42,474	26,461	2,687	889	924	1,171	2,705	1,252	583	501	316	244	1,360	3,381
Qatar	97	60	3	1	7	4	7	3	3	-	-	1	3	5
Saudi Arabia	1,063	723	44	28	55	41	33	11	9	7	4	6	18	84
Singapore	671	193	138	86	52	35	15	21	12	15	9	1	17	77
Sri Lanka	1,123	584	140	62	46	43	34	28	16	13	16	11	36	94
Syria	2,374	1,494	82	77	79	60	38	67	41	79	15	22	87	233
Taiwan	9,040	4,878	1,131	353	394	387	314	217	165	136	108	117	273	567
Thailand	3,785	1,579	198	158	135	241	119	138	76	67	45	32	120	877
Turkey	2,613	1,484	211	144	161	125	66	35	37	19	28	21	36	246
United Arab Emirates	436	332	16	10	6	14	15	6	5	2	2	5	7	16
Vietnam	26,747	16,652	442	954	2,337	401	120	49	52	81	49	29	68	5,513
Yemen	1,789	1,611	21	8	11	12	12	13	2	23	10	1	10	55
Africa	44,731	27,615	1,725	1,469	2,993	1,533	930	655	465	378	422	338	1,250	4,958
Algeria	907	579	41	45	30	23	32	20	11	15	7	1	11	92
Angola	88	46	4	9	4	-	1	1	-	1	1	3	8	10
Benin	62	34	4	5	4	3	1	2	1	2	1	-	1	4
Botswana	13	6	-	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	1
Burkina Faso	48	14	6	6	8	4	1	2	2	-	1	1	-	3
Burundi	28	4	2	-	13	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	6
Cameroon	865	616	22	21	22	17	4	18	13	6	3	6	31	86
Cape Verde	1,083	757	22	27	29	21	16	22	11	1	3	9	106	59
Central African Rep. ..	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Chad	23	6	-	1	11	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
Comoros	3	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congo, Dem. Rep.	124	1	14	1	17	7	8	7	4	3	3	4	9	46
Congo, Republic	191	144	5	2	5	2	4	2	3	3	1	3	5	12
Cote d'Ivoire	439	156	14	7	27	23	32	26	11	17	17	12	11	86
Djibouti	14	8	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Egypt	4,461	3,195	152	126	178	144	80	58	49	37	37	33	68	304
Equatorial Guinea	5	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Eritrea	383	259	7	14	16	6	12	1	1	2	2	2	5	56
Ethiopia	4,061	3,127	47	51	86	51	58	36	27	23	37	44	92	382
Gabon	18	7	1	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3
Gambia, The	232	67	6	4	8	9	17	9	15	14	9	4	18	52
Ghana	4,344	3,228	89	80	87	84	50	33	31	22	31	11	56	542

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 11. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED IN FISCAL YEAR 2000, BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY,
TYPE OF ADMISSION, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	New arrivals 1999- 2000	Adjustments											
			1999- 2000	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	Before 1990	Un- known
Guinea	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Guinea-Bissau	204	84	3	9	15	4	11	6	4	5	3	6	6	48
Kenya	2,210	1,223	80	87	223	110	77	57	21	23	18	11	54	226
Lesotho	9	5	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	1,575	774	41	65	144	25	17	28	14	14	47	33	141	232
Libya	181	111	10	10	5	5	4	2	2	-	2	-	9	21
Madagascar	33	13	5	6	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4
Malawi	61	32	5	-	7	2	3	2	1	-	-	1	4	4
Mali	109	45	6	5	4	5	5	5	-	2	3	6	5	18
Mauritania	88	13	2	6	-	-	3	1	4	2	1	2	-	54
Mauritius	54	28	4	3	4	3	3	1	1	2	-	-	1	4
Morocco	3,626	2,632	120	123	135	109	68	61	24	19	17	16	62	240
Mozambique	41	13	1	5	1	1	2	1	1	-	1	-	8	7
Namibia	30	10	5	5	3	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	3
Niger	30	7	-	-	4	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	6	9
Nigeria	7,853	4,912	230	216	345	256	158	85	83	86	66	63	314	1,039
Rwanda	73	14	-	3	35	1	-	-	1	2	1	4	1	11
Sao Tome and Principe	8	4	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Senegal	555	286	19	12	30	22	20	21	25	11	10	9	21	69
Seychelles	18	4	3	5	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	1
Sierra Leone	1,590	1,191	20	12	49	27	14	11	10	7	56	24	55	114
Somalia	2,465	589	7	57	974	256	33	6	21	6	3	1	11	501
South Africa	2,833	1,065	547	285	284	187	85	62	30	15	13	4	39	217
St. Helena	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sudan	1,538	1,198	14	25	47	23	36	12	3	6	7	7	20	140
Swaziland	12	3	-	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1
Tanzania	481	260	50	20	24	19	14	12	4	8	5	2	10	53
Togo	388	308	3	3	7	11	9	12	5	2	-	-	4	24
Tunisia	308	136	27	28	35	10	7	5	5	4	1	1	7	42
Uganda	423	197	24	22	20	20	22	15	12	9	7	7	18	50
Western Sahara	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Zambia	211	81	21	20	11	15	4	4	4	5	1	3	13	29
Zimbabwe	323	118	36	31	30	18	15	6	4	3	3	5	13	41
Oceania	5,136	2,661	494	293	232	163	102	68	57	49	47	36	134	800
American Samoa	7	5	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Australia	2,059	792	351	182	132	85	43	31	21	9	6	8	11	388
Cook Islands	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiji	1,487	1,214	18	30	18	8	9	10	10	12	11	11	50	86
French Polynesia	14	2	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Kiribati	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Marshall Islands	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Micronesia, Federated States ...	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Nauru	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
New Caledonia	3	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	972	439	101	57	48	37	23	11	8	11	10	8	11	208
Northern Mariana Is.	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Palau	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Papua New Guinea ..	22	14	2	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
Samoa	184	22	14	12	21	12	14	10	8	8	7	4	20	32
Solomon Islands	7	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tonga	351	153	4	10	11	18	9	5	9	9	13	5	40	65
Tuvalu	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North America	344,805	140,286	8,479	5,652	6,029	3,395	3,764	3,286	2,999	2,217	1,957	2,397	16,734	147,610
Canada	16,210	3,366	2,945	1,614	1,216	520	159	79	28	7	8	-	15	6,253
Mexico	173,919	68,490	1,881	827	888	839	935	745	651	648	673	746	3,649	92,947
United States	35	15	3	1	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	9

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 11. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED IN FISCAL YEAR 2000, BY CALENDAR YEAR OF ENTRY,
TYPE OF ADMISSION, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	New arrivals 1999- 2000	Adjustments											
			1999- 2000	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	Before 1990	Un- known
Caribbean	88,198	50,108	1,128	2,720	3,469	1,637	1,823	1,319	869	664	541	771	3,979	19,170
Anguilla	27	14	1	-	2	-	1	-	3	2	1	1	1	1
Antigua-Barbuda	431	219	14	7	7	10	9	4	12	15	10	14	63	47
Aruba	25	9	1	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	8
Bahamas, The	768	97	28	15	23	24	21	24	13	10	11	12	47	443
Barbados	783	283	58	20	18	14	12	11	17	37	20	29	156	108
Bermuda	72	27	6	1	5	2	2	1	-	1	-	-	1	26
British Virgin Islands	67	44	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	4	16
Cayman Islands	31	13	2	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	3	8
Cuba	20,831	4,408	121	2,106	2,825	766	731	148	127	75	40	29	998	8,457
Dominica	96	2	6	1	4	4	5	-	10	7	3	7	6	41
Dominican Rep.	17,536	12,390	140	165	183	259	332	284	194	109	75	137	305	2,963
Grenada	655	326	41	8	7	8	8	6	18	23	12	21	76	101
Guadeloupe	51	23	1	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	21
Haiti	22,364	18,110	87	77	87	99	116	112	60	105	110	91	452	2,858
Jamaica	16,000	10,043	243	163	143	236	356	436	253	146	151	265	798	2,767
Martinique	20	8	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
Montserrat	71	26	5	-	1	1	1	2	5	5	1	1	11	12
Netherlands Antilles	53	11	4	-	4	2	4	1	-	-	1	-	1	25
Puerto Rico	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
St. Kitts-Nevis	504	321	11	7	6	7	6	6	16	15	9	8	46	46
St. Lucia	601	307	21	21	16	22	9	7	10	21	12	18	64	73
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	500	238	22	6	7	8	8	2	14	19	9	24	78	65
Trinidad and Tobago	6,660	3,184	315	118	127	173	200	273	116	74	74	112	863	1,031
Turks and Caicos Is.	46	4	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	38
U.S. Virgin Islands	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Central America	66,443	18,307	2,522	490	452	398	846	1,143	1,451	898	735	880	9,090	29,231
Belize	760	326	16	17	9	12	23	20	14	13	4	11	68	227
Costa Rica	1,324	410	77	69	90	73	60	37	38	28	30	31	56	325
El Salvador	22,578	8,483	590	65	54	33	16	50	53	52	23	34	215	12,910
Guatemala	9,970	4,185	196	44	50	43	60	47	45	49	31	67	296	4,857
Honduras	5,939	2,904	137	46	49	45	29	49	23	35	38	58	162	2,364
Nicaragua	24,029	994	1,456	189	146	106	613	911	1,252	692	584	646	8,202	8,238
Panama	1,843	1,005	50	60	54	86	45	29	26	29	25	33	91	310
South America	56,074	24,392	3,502	2,120	1,892	1,830	1,541	1,362	1,129	962	667	638	1,933	14,106
Argentina	2,331	610	222	92	108	87	91	63	51	45	48	58	110	746
Bolivia	1,772	710	278	30	23	29	23	25	17	20	34	21	71	491
Brazil	6,959	1,427	1,155	523	530	528	357	184	147	103	101	92	271	1,541
Chile	1,712	558	101	87	69	70	52	44	43	38	57	54	94	445
Colombia	14,498	6,111	596	693	579	472	349	359	273	252	152	148	399	4,115
Ecuador	7,685	4,755	323	97	100	107	100	96	76	99	69	52	198	1,613
French Guiana	13	3	1	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	3
Guyana	5,746	4,284	91	49	45	98	106	77	52	41	37	39	166	661
Paraguay	342	154	34	16	7	10	3	7	2	7	8	8	15	71
Peru	9,613	4,420	332	246	191	189	145	274	247	144	75	93	437	2,820
Suriname	257	140	7	6	5	4	16	5	5	8	1	9	12	39
Uruguay	430	112	45	19	18	13	16	14	13	6	11	9	23	131
Venezuela	4,716	1,108	317	262	216	223	280	214	203	199	74	54	136	1,430
Unknown or not reported	1,181	320	88	86	100	55	33	22	19	17	11	11	42	377

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

NOTE: The year of entry for new arrivals is the year entering as an immigrant. The year of entry for adjustments is the latest year of entry as a nonimmigrant or the latest year of entry in another temporary status.

- Represents zero.

TABLE 12. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY AGE AND SEX
FISCAL YEARS 1990-2000

Age and sex	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Total	1,536,483	1,827,167	973,977	904,292	804,416	720,461	915,900	798,378	654,451	646,568	849,807
Under 5 years	33,520	36,669	37,487	39,111	36,085	37,323	40,710	36,439	33,797	36,120	39,215
5-9 years	51,922	49,609	58,445	62,949	57,194	52,326	60,193	49,458	39,035	39,011	45,945
10-14 years	95,453	66,237	73,619	78,157	71,716	67,676	85,459	71,192	56,459	57,437	66,734
15-19 years	125,516	109,261	94,374	95,514	82,796	72,919	93,935	79,841	68,319	72,509	85,947
20-24 years	181,258	354,747	116,280	96,237	85,538	71,596	89,538	76,214	59,609	56,260	70,696
25-29 years	274,035	380,682	150,783	122,787	103,588	92,870	121,382	108,128	85,432	76,608	112,793
30-34 years	251,589	276,464	124,603	108,815	92,563	80,995	108,981	95,184	78,065	71,705	115,575
35-39 years	173,723	182,200	88,564	78,887	67,830	59,398	78,756	66,981	56,546	55,060	85,703
40-44 years	112,988	120,980	61,663	56,100	50,030	45,445	59,086	50,772	43,331	43,254	60,443
45-49 years	71,425	78,393	43,275	41,378	38,756	36,065	47,016	39,971	33,695	34,382	44,217
50-54 years	51,949	57,023	34,230	31,484	29,041	26,141	33,246	31,390	26,127	27,170	33,513
55-59 years	39,776	41,330	28,368	28,246	26,402	23,888	30,532	28,809	22,411	22,510	25,315
60-64 years	30,329	30,856	24,537	24,758	23,103	19,769	25,186	24,753	19,651	20,289	23,407
65-69 years	21,338	21,616	18,604	19,400	18,832	15,850	19,993	18,885	14,835	15,304	17,620
70-74 years	11,021	11,109	10,202	11,131	11,232	9,639	11,830	11,101	9,017	9,644	11,161
75-79 years	6,369	5,938	5,222	5,347	5,438	4,637	5,692	5,275	4,332	4,828	5,933
80 years and over..	4,082	3,680	3,586	3,888	4,201	3,867	4,265	3,809	2,533	2,631	3,470
Unknown age	190	373	135	103	71	57	100	176	1,257	1,846	2,120
Male	818,443	1,213,767	496,724	424,475	372,691	333,859	422,740	365,484	299,946	290,225	378,259
Under 5 years	17,082	18,580	19,020	19,550	17,939	17,891	19,240	16,960	15,356	16,485	17,443
5-9 years	26,651	25,228	29,817	32,092	29,136	26,779	30,728	25,269	19,839	20,023	23,309
10-14 years	48,697	34,112	38,195	40,286	36,762	34,824	44,137	36,777	29,320	29,521	34,323
15-19 years	63,426	64,888	48,493	48,672	41,942	36,888	47,990	40,327	34,623	36,843	43,539
20-24 years	95,684	263,149	60,715	41,829	37,702	31,631	40,412	33,440	26,530	24,534	29,885
25-29 years	155,719	268,701	79,622	54,859	45,425	40,751	53,472	47,075	37,993	32,831	46,509
30-34 years	139,578	188,466	65,641	51,845	42,793	37,756	49,879	43,758	35,762	31,352	50,987
35-39 years	95,153	122,263	46,142	37,413	30,898	26,757	35,209	29,914	25,189	23,686	37,515
40-44 years	61,368	80,507	31,392	25,560	22,339	20,011	25,333	21,893	18,615	17,936	25,654
45-49 years	38,598	52,509	21,845	19,388	17,695	16,053	20,780	17,447	14,639	14,370	18,573
50-54 years	26,394	35,955	16,121	13,889	12,751	11,445	14,437	13,241	11,038	11,084	14,082
55-59 years	18,904	23,893	12,496	11,916	10,999	10,044	12,607	11,658	8,975	8,749	10,013
60-64 years	13,275	15,741	10,767	10,318	9,668	8,486	10,549	10,339	8,130	8,221	9,450
65-69 years	9,180	10,331	8,150	8,110	7,983	7,046	8,769	8,466	6,531	6,541	7,385
70-74 years	4,639	5,047	4,559	4,841	4,753	4,110	5,068	5,001	3,912	3,992	4,718
75-79 years	2,518	2,611	2,206	2,284	2,202	1,912	2,430	2,374	1,900	2,153	2,512
80 years and over..	1,467	1,507	1,451	1,565	1,659	1,445	1,645	1,460	1,010	1,054	1,379
Unknown age	110	279	92	58	45	30	55	85	584	850	983
Female	717,764	613,166	477,062	479,771	431,684	386,582	493,142	432,699	353,426	355,600	470,854
Under 5 years	16,423	18,086	18,460	19,561	18,142	19,428	21,465	19,476	18,411	19,621	21,764
5-9 years	25,260	24,370	28,614	30,855	28,054	25,546	29,463	24,170	19,146	18,950	22,602
10-14 years	46,736	32,112	35,416	37,866	34,951	32,850	41,321	34,404	27,083	27,891	32,378
15-19 years	62,077	44,357	45,868	46,838	40,852	36,028	45,943	39,504	33,619	35,635	42,372
20-24 years	85,552	91,576	55,548	54,403	47,835	39,964	49,125	42,758	32,963	31,667	40,739
25-29 years	118,271	111,944	71,129	67,922	58,158	52,118	67,907	61,016	47,238	43,471	66,110
30-34 years	111,959	87,968	58,925	56,962	49,760	43,238	59,100	51,399	42,100	40,231	64,428
35-39 years	78,546	59,910	42,406	41,472	36,927	32,639	43,546	37,048	31,230	31,312	48,112
40-44 years	51,606	40,452	30,258	30,534	27,689	25,433	33,752	28,864	24,643	25,283	34,746
45-49 years	32,816	25,870	21,423	21,986	21,061	20,012	26,236	22,515	19,008	19,997	25,627
50-54 years	25,545	21,058	18,105	17,594	16,289	14,695	18,809	18,141	15,057	16,076	19,414
55-59 years	20,867	17,432	15,867	16,330	15,400	13,843	17,925	17,144	13,415	13,753	15,294
60-64 years	17,042	15,109	13,764	14,438	13,434	11,282	14,637	14,408	11,505	12,061	13,947
65-69 years	12,149	11,278	10,449	11,290	10,849	8,804	11,224	10,415	8,291	8,760	10,234
70-74 years	6,375	6,053	5,639	6,289	6,479	5,529	6,762	6,100	5,102	5,649	6,440
75-79 years	3,846	3,325	3,016	3,063	3,236	2,724	3,262	2,901	2,427	2,672	3,420
80 years and over..	2,614	2,172	2,132	2,323	2,542	2,422	2,620	2,349	1,520	1,576	2,091
Unknown age	80	94	43	45	26	27	45	87	668	995	1,136
Unknown sex	276	234	191	46	41	20	18	195	1,079	743	694
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	53.3	66.4	51.0	46.9	46.3	46.3	46.2	45.8	45.8	44.9	44.5
Female	46.7	33.6	49.0	53.1	53.7	53.7	53.8	54.2	54.0	55.0	55.4
Unknown	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	.2	.1	.1

- Represents zero. Z Rounds to less than .05 percent.

**TABLE 13. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

Age and sex	All countries	Bosnia-Herzegovina	Canada	China, People's Republic	Colombia	Cuba	Dominican Republic	Ecuador	El Salvador	Germany
Total	849,807	11,828	16,210	45,652	14,498	20,831	17,536	7,685	22,578	7,638
Under 5 years	39,215	251	592	5,716	596	399	446	375	418	415
5-9 years	45,945	967	1,469	1,436	730	1,112	1,215	489	628	513
10-14 years	66,734	1,150	1,224	2,745	985	1,480	1,482	674	1,158	267
15-19 years	85,947	1,130	1,153	2,696	1,427	1,166	1,994	907	2,392	318
20-24 years	70,696	996	1,179	1,808	1,159	1,415	1,527	693	1,956	671
25-29 years	112,793	1,184	2,239	3,870	1,517	2,513	2,189	883	3,160	1,123
30-34 years	115,575	1,402	2,438	6,273	1,805	2,860	2,439	875	3,974	1,603
35-39 years	85,703	1,407	2,070	6,020	1,733	2,843	1,943	664	2,562	1,166
40-44 years	60,443	1,217	1,568	3,627	1,283	1,602	1,379	526	1,628	577
45-49 years	44,217	935	962	2,695	871	1,618	911	397	1,069	316
50-54 years	33,513	529	669	2,115	693	1,321	697	328	781	245
55-59 years	25,315	228	287	1,551	536	955	443	265	659	167
60-64 years	23,407	187	129	1,883	436	599	337	195	688	106
65-69 years	17,620	131	94	1,573	327	398	251	174	564	54
70-74 years	11,161	73	46	921	216	261	150	103	461	29
75-79 years	5,933	33	32	409	89	161	61	70	271	16
80 years and over	3,470	8	19	227	57	120	23	33	154	39
Unknown age	2,120	-	40	87	38	8	49	34	55	13
Male	378,259	6,133	7,485	18,312	5,611	10,993	8,121	3,553	10,359	3,255
Under 5 years	17,443	134	286	593	301	205	216	197	204	215
5-9 years	23,309	500	719	729	367	551	582	247	316	254
10-14 years	34,323	592	616	1,444	500	751	745	343	579	137
15-19 years	43,539	587	571	1,427	701	567	1,033	453	1,240	146
20-24 years	29,885	531	447	576	433	665	723	327	968	156
25-29 years	46,509	616	880	1,075	512	1,340	958	429	1,607	367
30-34 years	50,987	705	1,093	2,451	630	1,669	1,139	416	2,005	717
35-39 years	37,515	707	1,014	2,896	597	1,592	874	279	1,143	539
40-44 years	25,654	630	743	1,677	438	896	632	216	648	276
45-49 years	18,573	508	456	1,235	289	841	378	163	409	139
50-54 years	14,082	308	343	1,026	244	674	292	119	305	117
55-59 years	10,013	124	145	671	199	534	188	104	221	86
60-64 years	9,450	86	74	886	147	278	130	93	214	50
65-69 years	7,385	61	39	788	118	200	104	68	176	29
70-74 years	4,718	29	21	492	71	115	68	34	133	14
75-79 years	2,512	11	14	206	34	62	24	23	105	3
80 years and over	1,379	4	11	101	14	48	10	22	59	3
Unknown age	983	-	13	39	16	5	25	20	27	7
Female	470,854	5,684	8,687	27,314	8,879	9,827	9,413	4,128	12,214	4,379
Under 5 years	21,764	116	303	5,123	295	194	230	178	214	199
5-9 years	22,602	466	749	706	363	561	633	242	312	259
10-14 years	32,378	558	606	1,300	485	727	737	331	579	130
15-19 years	42,372	543	581	1,268	726	598	961	454	1,152	171
20-24 years	40,739	462	726	1,228	724	750	803	366	988	514
25-29 years	66,110	567	1,352	2,790	1,005	1,172	1,231	452	1,553	756
30-34 years	64,428	697	1,338	3,817	1,173	1,189	1,299	459	1,967	886
35-39 years	48,112	697	1,049	3,119	1,136	1,251	1,069	383	1,419	626
40-44 years	34,746	585	824	1,948	843	705	747	310	978	301
45-49 years	25,627	427	504	1,460	581	777	533	234	660	177
50-54 years	19,414	221	325	1,087	448	646	405	209	476	128
55-59 years	15,294	104	142	880	337	420	255	161	438	81
60-64 years	13,947	101	55	997	289	319	207	102	473	56
65-69 years	10,234	70	55	785	209	198	147	106	388	25
70-74 years	6,440	44	25	429	145	146	82	69	328	15
75-79 years	3,420	22	18	203	55	99	37	47	166	13
80 years and over	2,091	4	8	126	43	72	13	11	95	36
Unknown age	1,136	-	27	48	22	3	24	14	28	6
Unknown sex	694	11	38	26	8	11	2	4	5	4
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	44.5	51.9	46.2	40.1	38.7	52.8	46.3	46.2	45.9	42.6
Female	55.4	48.1	53.6	59.8	61.2	47.2	53.7	53.7	54.1	57.3
Unknown	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 13. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Age and sex	Guatemala	Haiti	India	Iran	Jamaica	Korea	Mexico	Nicaragua	Nigeria	Pakistan
Total	9,970	22,364	42,046	8,519	16,000	15,830	173,919	24,029	7,853	14,535
Under 5 years	1,594	1,098	1,188	139	566	1,937	4,745	53	364	919
5-9 years	293	1,424	1,472	230	1,166	626	10,430	326	375	1,102
10-14 years	559	2,004	2,167	389	1,735	940	19,994	1,359	458	1,397
15-19 years	1,073	3,162	3,032	709	2,180	1,433	25,877	2,791	661	1,678
20-24 years	836	2,421	2,879	405	1,285	758	16,099	2,401	601	1,284
25-29 years	1,256	2,452	6,712	747	1,666	1,654	24,404	2,598	1,019	1,762
30-34 years	1,410	2,062	7,872	1,007	1,756	1,687	20,903	3,349	1,219	1,753
35-39 years	1,019	1,507	3,729	828	1,590	1,715	12,466	3,433	1,092	1,236
40-44 years	613	1,042	2,746	660	1,326	1,729	8,065	2,845	663	917
45-49 years	383	787	2,667	601	921	1,166	5,775	1,963	365	743
50-54 years	257	590	2,181	541	622	734	5,240	1,193	276	488
55-59 years	178	580	1,772	447	424	416	5,609	706	201	389
60-64 years	177	819	1,510	510	282	369	5,333	415	227	346
65-69 years	125	845	997	520	199	289	4,180	234	166	247
70-74 years	93	750	582	396	126	168	2,429	161	78	140
75-79 years	44	480	283	248	63	106	1,238	85	30	59
80 years and over	22	239	172	112	41	66	660	64	15	32
Unknown age	38	102	85	30	52	37	472	53	43	43
Male	4,787	9,740	20,710	3,909	7,353	6,961	70,441	10,883	3,910	7,377
Under 5 years	741	524	512	58	282	1,085	2,439	28	182	484
5-9 years	143	687	756	114	586	346	5,476	161	195	583
10-14 years	276	987	1,131	214	868	488	10,408	709	220	742
15-19 years	566	1,542	1,587	343	1,104	760	13,191	1,417	336	830
20-24 years	419	1,179	859	169	631	301	7,914	1,098	285	516
25-29 years	686	1,161	2,429	299	775	390	10,465	1,302	457	874
30-34 years	745	958	4,896	488	778	572	6,278	1,478	630	1,017
35-39 years	469	667	2,116	404	699	695	2,874	1,503	627	673
40-44 years	249	440	1,317	268	549	737	1,629	1,298	411	441
45-49 years	161	259	1,331	278	389	578	1,212	827	201	386
50-54 years	105	176	1,113	245	253	388	1,221	504	121	219
55-59 years	62	140	869	171	153	191	1,552	254	74	177
60-64 years	57	199	769	192	103	182	1,896	148	52	160
65-69 years	37	267	491	261	71	107	1,692	71	44	123
70-74 years	29	229	276	207	54	63	1,040	33	29	83
75-79 years	18	186	135	124	24	38	627	17	15	35
80 years and over	7	90	83	58	13	23	333	9	8	15
Unknown age	17	49	40	16	21	17	194	26	23	19
Female	5,176	12,622	21,326	4,607	8,642	8,867	103,410	13,139	3,934	7,153
Under 5 years	852	574	676	81	284	852	2,306	25	182	435
5-9 years	150	737	716	116	580	279	4,953	162	180	519
10-14 years	283	1,017	1,036	175	867	452	9,579	650	238	654
15-19 years	507	1,620	1,445	366	1,076	673	12,679	1,374	322	848
20-24 years	417	1,242	2,019	236	654	457	8,174	1,303	316	768
25-29 years	570	1,291	4,280	447	890	1,263	13,922	1,294	561	887
30-34 years	661	1,104	2,971	519	974	1,115	14,612	1,871	586	735
35-39 years	549	840	1,612	424	891	1,020	9,588	1,929	465	563
40-44 years	364	602	1,429	390	777	992	6,436	1,546	252	475
45-49 years	222	528	1,336	323	532	588	4,561	1,136	164	356
50-54 years	152	414	1,068	296	369	346	4,016	689	154	269
55-59 years	115	439	903	276	271	225	4,057	452	127	212
60-64 years	120	619	741	318	179	187	3,435	267	174	186
65-69 years	88	578	506	259	128	182	2,488	163	122	124
70-74 years	64	521	306	189	72	105	1,388	128	49	57
75-79 years	26	294	148	124	39	68	611	68	15	24
80 years and over	15	149	89	54	28	43	327	55	7	17
Unknown age	21	53	45	14	31	20	278	27	20	24
Unknown sex	7	2	10	3	5	2	68	7	9	5
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	48.0	43.6	49.3	45.9	46.0	44.0	40.5	45.3	49.8	50.8
Female	51.9	56.4	50.7	54.1	54.0	56.0	59.5	54.7	50.1	49.2
Unknown	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 13. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Age and sex	Peru	Philippines	Poland	Russia	Taiwan	Ukraine	United Kingdom	Vietnam	Other
Total	9,613	42,474	10,114	17,110	9,040	15,810	13,385	26,747	205,993
Under 5 years	219	1,146	398	3,686	175	1,113	333	1,480	8,854
5-9 years	417	2,220	617	1,368	339	1,326	765	1,337	11,553
10-14 years	676	2,733	923	1,386	598	1,385	790	1,746	14,330
15-19 years	965	4,191	1,333	957	908	1,119	674	2,217	17,804
20-24 years	729	3,115	843	1,010	438	1,125	763	2,491	19,809
25-29 years	1,075	6,084	1,134	1,547	737	1,624	1,828	4,340	31,476
30-34 years	1,161	5,916	1,083	1,398	1,641	1,456	2,597	3,519	30,117
35-39 years	1,090	3,765	976	1,394	1,154	1,347	2,071	2,335	22,548
40-44 years	792	2,977	891	1,101	961	1,089	1,316	1,851	15,452
45-49 years	667	2,357	711	774	991	772	808	1,490	10,502
50-54 years	439	2,185	466	693	469	749	619	1,171	7,222
55-59 years	381	1,707	271	421	184	340	323	920	4,955
60-64 years	326	1,603	193	500	210	788	205	744	4,290
65-69 years	276	1,239	117	313	131	531	119	521	3,005
70-74 years	179	768	60	243	55	424	55	328	1,866
75-79 years	95	300	42	168	15	336	41	145	1,013
80 years and over	74	110	27	127	16	270	52	60	631
Unknown age	52	58	29	24	18	16	26	52	566
Male	4,117	16,493	4,576	7,147	3,890	7,214	7,438	10,637	96,854
Under 5 years	104	590	205	1,916	78	558	157	670	4,479
5-9 years	193	1,107	315	631	163	666	378	686	5,858
10-14 years	339	1,385	471	671	322	688	421	902	7,374
15-19 years	493	2,120	699	494	437	593	347	1,089	8,866
20-24 years	288	1,177	330	296	182	452	345	673	7,945
25-29 years	401	1,608	408	488	237	682	979	1,404	13,680
30-34 years	487	2,026	475	513	654	652	1,468	1,369	14,678
35-39 years	476	1,389	449	518	478	624	1,213	899	11,101
40-44 years	327	1,093	415	420	396	492	794	671	7,551
45-49 years	276	893	329	280	440	348	481	551	4,935
50-54 years	200	900	198	272	230	326	379	482	3,322
55-59 years	130	695	108	162	85	135	209	388	2,186
60-64 years	135	611	77	187	77	331	123	360	1,833
65-69 years	94	468	40	116	59	248	75	226	1,312
70-74 years	74	268	21	90	30	193	26	158	838
75-79 years	44	105	15	47	5	120	12	55	408
80 years and over	28	32	8	37	8	96	18	31	210
Unknown age	28	26	13	9	9	10	13	23	278
Female	5,493	25,812	5,534	9,931	5,147	8,584	5,928	16,087	108,937
Under 5 years	115	556	193	1,770	97	554	176	810	4,374
5-9 years	224	1,100	301	732	176	659	387	651	5,689
10-14 years	337	1,344	451	709	276	696	369	843	6,949
15-19 years	472	2,064	634	461	471	525	327	1,127	8,927
20-24 years	441	1,932	512	712	256	673	417	1,814	11,835
25-29 years	673	4,417	726	1,051	500	940	841	2,928	17,751
30-34 years	674	3,835	607	884	986	804	1,125	2,145	15,395
35-39 years	613	2,362	527	872	675	721	856	1,434	11,422
40-44 years	465	1,876	476	680	565	596	519	1,179	7,886
45-49 years	390	1,461	382	493	551	424	327	939	5,561
50-54 years	239	1,285	268	421	239	421	240	688	3,895
55-59 years	251	1,012	163	258	98	205	114	532	2,766
60-64 years	191	992	116	312	133	456	82	384	2,456
65-69 years	182	771	77	197	72	283	43	295	1,693
70-74 years	105	500	39	153	25	231	29	170	1,026
75-79 years	51	195	27	121	10	216	29	90	604
80 years and over	46	78	19	90	8	174	34	29	421
Unknown age	24	32	16	15	9	6	13	29	287
Unknown sex	3	169	4	32	3	12	19	23	202
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	42.8	38.8	45.2	41.8	43.0	45.6	55.6	39.8	47.0
Female	57.1	60.8	54.7	58.0	56.9	54.3	44.3	60.1	52.9
Unknown	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z

- Represents zero. Z Rounds to less than .05 percent.

**TABLE 14. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MARITAL STATUS, AGE, AND SEX
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

Age and sex	Total	Single	Married	Widowed	Divorced	Separated	Unknown
Total	849,807	349,421	462,630	17,885	12,033	1,224	6,614
Under 5 years	39,215	39,205	-	-	-	-	10
5-9 years	45,945	45,941	-	-	-	-	4
10-14 years	66,734	66,521	26	-	4	-	183
15-19 years	85,947	82,240	2,554	1	19	2	1,131
20-24 years	70,696	36,901	32,882	12	139	23	739
25-29 years	112,793	26,111	85,199	62	560	60	801
30-34 years	115,575	20,930	92,187	153	1,296	142	867
35-39 years	85,703	11,652	71,255	215	1,736	151	694
40-44 years	60,443	5,959	51,479	409	1,939	151	506
45-49 years	44,217	3,494	37,930	621	1,746	118	308
50-54 years	33,513	2,306	28,109	1,159	1,575	146	218
55-59 years	25,315	1,789	20,234	1,872	1,153	147	120
60-64 years	23,407	1,743	17,625	2,981	839	125	94
65-69 years	17,620	1,418	12,100	3,414	524	87	77
70-74 years	11,161	1,082	6,622	3,059	305	46	47
75-79 years	5,933	595	3,008	2,177	106	17	30
80 years and over	3,470	336	1,301	1,745	66	9	13
Unknown age	2,120	1,198	119	5	26	-	772
Male	378,259	178,595	189,913	2,340	4,085	370	2,956
Under 5 years	17,443	17,439	-	-	-	-	4
5-9 years	23,309	23,306	-	-	-	-	3
10-14 years	34,323	34,226	12	-	2	-	83
15-19 years	43,539	42,698	257	-	7	-	577
20-24 years	29,885	20,207	9,278	1	40	4	355
25-29 years	46,509	15,157	30,746	12	210	23	361
30-34 years	50,987	12,425	37,516	26	561	60	399
35-39 years	37,515	6,485	29,938	27	691	64	310
40-44 years	25,654	2,756	21,908	50	675	61	204
45-49 years	18,573	1,231	16,565	65	560	31	121
50-54 years	14,082	677	12,689	105	491	36	84
55-59 years	10,013	384	9,058	150	332	25	64
60-64 years	9,450	300	8,577	298	213	22	40
65-69 years	7,385	262	6,536	390	150	18	29
70-74 years	4,718	214	3,921	462	89	16	16
75-79 years	2,512	122	1,946	401	32	4	7
80 years and over	1,379	67	923	351	25	6	7
Unknown age	983	639	43	2	7	-	292
Female	470,854	170,646	272,361	15,544	7,940	854	3,509
Under 5 years	21,764	21,758	-	-	-	-	6
5-9 years	22,602	22,601	-	-	-	-	1
10-14 years	32,378	32,264	14	-	2	-	98
15-19 years	42,372	39,524	2,289	1	12	2	544
20-24 years	40,739	16,688	23,554	11	99	19	368
25-29 years	66,110	10,908	54,360	50	349	37	406
30-34 years	64,428	8,476	54,573	127	734	82	436
35-39 years	48,112	5,162	41,266	188	1,045	87	364
40-44 years	34,746	3,203	29,541	359	1,262	90	291
45-49 years	25,627	2,263	21,356	556	1,186	87	179
50-54 years	19,414	1,627	15,413	1,054	1,082	110	128
55-59 years	15,294	1,404	11,174	1,722	820	122	52
60-64 years	13,947	1,443	9,040	2,682	626	103	53
65-69 years	10,234	1,156	5,564	3,024	373	69	48
70-74 years	6,440	868	2,701	2,597	216	30	28
75-79 years	3,420	473	1,062	1,776	74	13	22
80 years and over	2,091	269	378	1,394	41	3	6
Unknown age	1,136	559	76	3	19	-	479
Unknown sex	694	180	356	1	8	-	149
Percent distribution	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	44.5	51.1	41.1	13.1	33.9	30.2	44.7
Female	55.4	48.8	58.9	86.9	66.0	69.8	53.1
Unknown1	.1	.1	Z	.1	-	2.3

- Represents zero. Z Rounds to less than .05 percent.

**TABLE 15. IMMIGRANT-ORPHANS ADOPTED BY U.S. CITIZENS BY SEX,
AGE, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

Region and country of birth	Total	Sex			Age				
		Male	Female	Unknown	Under 1 year	1-4 years	5-9 years	Over 9 years	Unknown
All countries	18,120	6,426	11,693	1	8,784	7,239	1,360	697	40
Europe	6,911	3,353	3,558	-	1,900	3,733	890	383	5
Albania	22	9	13	-	-	16	3	3	-
Armenia	7	4	3	-	5	2	-	-	-
Azerbaijan	2	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	-
Belarus	41	20	21	-	5	26	4	6	-
Bulgaria	207	87	120	-	4	147	49	7	-
Czech Republic	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Estonia	7	3	4	-	-	2	4	1	-
Georgia	3	3	-	-	-	2	-	1	-
Germany	2	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Greece	4	3	1	-	2	2	-	-	-
Hungary	24	5	19	-	6	13	4	1	-
Kazakhstan	392	152	240	-	174	187	28	3	-
Latvia	25	12	13	-	6	10	8	1	-
Lithuania	30	12	18	-	7	13	7	3	-
Macedonia	4	1	3	-	2	2	-	-	-
Moldova	78	41	37	-	14	51	7	6	-
Poland	81	41	40	-	4	39	28	10	-
Portugal	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Romania	1,103	556	547	-	285	642	132	44	-
Russia	4,210	2,060	2,150	-	1,257	2,127	545	279	2
Slovak Republic.....	15	7	8	-	-	14	1	-	-
Ukraine	645	329	316	-	127	435	68	13	2
United Kingdom	5	4	1	-	-	-	2	3	-
Uzbekistan	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Yugoslavia ¹	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Asia	8,639	1,882	6,757	-	5,404	2,872	225	122	16
Afghanistan	3	3	-	-	-	1	-	2	-
Bangladesh	4	1	3	-	4	-	-	-	-
Burma	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Cambodia	368	170	198	-	238	104	20	6	-
China, People's Rep.	4,943	138	4,805	-	2,802	2,032	78	26	5
Cyprus	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Hong Kong	14	9	5	-	3	10	1	-	-
India	491	129	362	-	176	258	33	20	4
Indonesia	2	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Iran	8	5	3	-	3	2	1	1	1
Iraq	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-
Israel	3	1	2	-	1	2	-	-	-
Japan	35	17	18	-	21	11	2	-	1
Jordan	3	1	2	-	1	2	-	-	-
Korea	1,711	980	731	-	1,569	136	3	2	1
Lebanon	13	5	8	-	9	2	-	2	-
Mongolia	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Nepal	11	3	8	-	5	4	2	-	-
Pakistan	23	8	15	-	7	2	3	10	1
Philippines	176	82	94	-	11	103	30	29	3
Sri Lanka	5	3	2	-	4	-	-	1	-
Taiwan	24	10	14	-	13	7	1	3	-
Thailand	85	43	42	-	9	56	19	1	-
Turkey	3	1	2	-	1	1	1	-	-
Vietnam	709	269	440	-	525	136	31	17	-
Africa	217	104	113	-	19	81	63	51	3
Algeria	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Benin	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Cape Verde	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Congo, Republic	2	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 15. IMMIGRANT-ORPHANS ADOPTED BY U.S. CITIZENS BY SEX,
AGE, AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Sex			Age				
		Male	Female	Unknown	Under 1 year	1-4 years	5-9 years	Over 9 years	Unknown
Cote d'Ivoire	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Egypt	2	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	-
Eritrea	3	2	1	-	-	3	-	-	-
Ethiopia	103	51	52	-	8	31	42	21	1
Ghana	13	3	10	-	2	4	2	5	-
Kenya	20	15	5	-	1	9	1	8	1
Lesotho	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Liberia	20	12	8	-	-	7	2	11	-
Libya	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Madagascar	3	2	1	-	1	2	-	-	-
Malawi	2	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-
Mauritius	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Morocco	5	4	1	-	3	-	1	1	-
Nigeria	5	1	4	-	-	4	-	-	1
Rwanda	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Senegal	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	23	7	16	-	-	13	10	-	-
South Africa	2	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	-
Sudan	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Swaziland	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Tanzania	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Uganda	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Zimbabwe	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Oceania	6	5	1	-	2	2	1	1	-
American Samoa	2	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-
Papua New Guinea	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Samoa	2	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Tonga	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
North America	1,890	866	1,023	1	1,191	449	129	106	15
Mexico	115	58	57	-	52	25	19	14	5
Caribbean	205	88	117	-	28	64	42	65	6
Cuba	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Dominican Republic ..	14	6	8	-	3	4	4	2	1
Grenada	2	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Haiti	136	57	79	-	21	47	24	40	4
Jamaica	42	21	21	-	3	10	10	18	1
St. Lucia	2	-	2	-	-	-	1	1	-
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	2	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	5	3	2	-	-	-	2	3	-
Central America	1,570	720	849	1	1,111	360	68	27	4
Belize	8	2	6	-	2	6	-	-	-
Costa Rica	17	7	10	-	2	2	11	2	-
El Salvador	9	1	8	-	1	5	1	-	2
Guatemala	1,504	697	806	1	1,105	329	52	17	1
Honduras	9	3	6	-	-	6	-	3	-
Nicaragua	9	6	3	-	-	4	3	1	1
Panama	14	4	10	-	1	8	1	4	-
South America	452	213	239	-	266	100	51	34	1
Bolivia	60	31	29	-	38	18	4	-	-
Brazil	26	11	15	-	12	2	4	8	-
Chile	12	7	5	-	3	4	5	-	-
Colombia	246	116	130	-	183	27	21	15	-
Ecuador	57	25	32	-	20	32	4	1	-
Guyana	5	2	3	-	-	2	1	2	-
Paraguay	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Peru	43	19	24	-	10	14	11	8	-
Venezuela	2	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
Unknown or not reported	5	3	2	-	2	2	1	-	-

¹ Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 16. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND
STATE OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

State of intended residence	All countries	Bangladesh	Bosnia-Herzegovina	Canada	China, People's Republic	Colombia	Cuba	Dominican Republic	Ecuador	El Salvador
Total	849,807	7,215	11,828	16,210	45,652	14,498	20,831	17,536	7,685	22,578
Alabama	1,904	7	18	40	172	18	21	4	5	6
Alaska	1,374	2	1	95	47	18	-	51	1	27
Arizona	11,980	48	701	370	304	51	72	8	12	81
Arkansas	1,596	5	4	37	93	6	2	4	9	89
California	217,753	515	792	1,999	13,232	856	473	61	409	9,987
Colorado	8,216	19	80	309	503	39	12	15	8	101
Connecticut	11,346	106	159	273	544	383	73	190	244	51
Delaware	1,570	16	3	40	117	22	8	9	5	10
District of Columbia	2,542	39	12	31	122	15	9	59	16	544
Florida	98,391	344	879	2,011	1,119	5,739	15,883	1,642	1,088	651
Georgia	14,778	188	511	429	659	195	82	33	27	166
Hawaii	6,056	7	-	106	551	12	3	1	4	1
Idaho	1,922	4	160	53	100	11	2	2	4	6
Illinois	36,180	85	1,491	355	1,475	223	115	73	303	135
Indiana	4,128	23	104	168	333	57	12	12	11	35
Iowa	3,052	14	692	84	90	15	4	3	9	27
Kansas	4,582	23	25	146	226	31	8	4	13	57
Kentucky	2,989	16	499	61	176	9	578	3	5	3
Louisiana	3,016	24	13	98	229	52	56	37	14	40
Maine	1,133	2	35	199	81	13	1	7	2	4
Maryland	17,705	168	56	181	1,102	143	34	123	88	1,480
Massachusetts	23,483	97	307	494	2,023	346	87	1,180	104	290
Michigan	16,773	289	641	842	832	81	156	47	20	33
Minnesota	8,671	31	221	388	505	99	28	18	46	43
Mississippi	1,083	-	1	28	109	14	13	5	2	5
Missouri	6,053	30	539	169	394	37	51	13	15	43
Montana	493	-	-	112	25	6	-	4	-	1
Nebraska	2,230	1	81	25	86	10	15	2	3	47
Nevada	7,827	28	131	140	283	64	245	15	14	322
New Hampshire	2,001	2	66	228	116	32	2	36	12	6
New Jersey	40,013	479	152	331	1,862	1,673	1,029	2,477	1,337	712
New Mexico	3,973	1	6	70	139	13	141	-	11	14
New York	106,061	3,491	803	1,153	8,930	2,459	561	8,543	3,360	2,548
North Carolina	9,251	50	159	499	514	126	54	42	48	152
North Dakota	420	-	57	98	9	-	1	-	1	1
Ohio	9,263	61	190	360	712	62	22	34	24	19
Oklahoma	4,586	42	20	135	210	33	13	5	9	24
Oregon	8,543	15	127	236	597	29	112	3	11	46
Pennsylvania	18,148	178	184	499	1,494	248	124	247	110	42
Rhode Island	2,526	-	1	31	85	191	7	390	12	30
South Carolina	2,267	9	4	122	167	72	8	4	8	9
South Dakota	465	1	72	22	26	-	1	-	-	1
Tennessee	4,882	32	185	155	326	41	36	18	5	31
Texas	63,840	335	450	1,270	2,293	497	246	94	107	2,677
Utah	3,710	1	317	140	146	30	7	13	16	52
Vermont	810	-	116	127	54	2	-	1	1	1
Virginia	20,087	343	209	307	868	198	82	56	76	1,794
Washington	18,486	31	439	936	1,058	65	14	19	26	89
West Virginia	573	3	1	34	47	9	-	4	-	4
Wisconsin	5,057	6	110	138	290	38	14	17	6	22
Wyoming	248	-	4	15	20	2	-	-	4	2
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	1,556	-	-	8	54	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	122	4	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	2,649	-	-	5	85	106	314	1,520	20	17
U.S. Virgin Islands	1,328	-	-	6	4	7	-	388	-	-
Armed Services Posts ...	116	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 16. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND
STATE OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

State of intended residence	Germany	Guatemala	Haiti	India	Iran	Jamaica	Korea	Mexico	Nicaragua	Nigeria
Total	7,638	9,970	22,364	42,046	8,519	16,000	15,830	173,919	24,029	7,853
Alabama	55	25	5	230	24	15	49	259	16	43
Alaska	20	9	1	12	3	2	85	136	4	3
Arizona	126	79	10	374	83	13	124	6,301	62	35
Arkansas	24	25	4	124	6	2	32	606	12	17
California	1,268	4,133	81	9,313	3,890	238	4,279	85,551	5,176	718
Colorado	136	79	6	286	72	5	234	2,915	31	67
Connecticut	111	141	497	594	77	982	140	278	114	109
Delaware	31	22	80	153	4	65	146	182	5	25
District of Columbia	32	46	35	53	23	71	17	39	79	96
Florida	954	724	11,044	1,438	309	5,350	326	4,597	14,400	261
Georgia	197	95	127	1,323	211	310	368	2,099	106	520
Hawaii	62	7	1	23	17	3	305	62	-	-
Idaho	28	9	4	18	1	2	16	1,083	8	2
Illinois	230	414	98	3,239	175	122	621	8,600	112	432
Indiana	67	61	7	328	37	21	94	759	34	61
Iowa	26	34	3	145	17	4	75	699	13	13
Kansas	54	32	5	190	61	5	60	1,794	52	28
Kentucky	57	52	8	149	32	5	54	164	9	14
Louisiana	48	74	13	211	48	16	41	194	154	49
Maine	25	9	1	32	5	14	11	29	1	1
Maryland	130	307	194	1,228	318	452	958	487	475	888
Massachusetts	364	263	1,943	1,227	182	361	234	193	79	219
Michigan	333	117	21	1,490	145	106	291	935	36	200
Minnesota	94	91	9	441	60	31	219	591	48	160
Mississippi	25	4	12	122	6	8	19	127	16	13
Missouri	103	85	15	359	60	30	82	636	18	96
Montana	14	2	2	11	2	1	7	44	4	1
Nebraska	18	39	1	70	1	1	35	834	9	9
Nevada	48	126	11	141	45	14	83	3,120	278	30
New Hampshire	48	16	26	101	11	14	87	40	4	6
New Jersey	265	398	2,101	4,364	167	1,003	1,065	700	431	567
New Mexico	38	24	2	77	12	3	29	2,717	9	3
New York	597	669	5,507	3,581	443	5,825	1,773	1,883	741	1,108
North Carolina	158	109	24	785	102	51	204	1,390	137	173
North Dakota	12	-	5	21	3	2	9	15	-	1
Ohio	149	66	5	804	93	89	167	345	44	112
Oklahoma	68	54	3	288	101	9	95	1,565	12	92
Oregon	80	105	5	345	107	11	193	2,699	24	14
Pennsylvania	252	155	269	1,714	124	377	591	1,081	93	213
Rhode Island	18	195	68	44	8	5	28	49	11	76
South Carolina	91	24	7	201	29	11	38	191	15	31
South Dakota	13	5	2	7	-	2	7	26	3	3
Tennessee	74	54	6	352	93	26	127	504	20	60
Texas	386	429	21	3,528	599	140	583	31,211	644	1,045
Utah	69	52	3	57	49	1	49	1,036	30	11
Vermont	35	5	1	32	2	5	14	11	1	3
Virginia	225	331	29	1,465	402	116	895	777	329	136
Washington	251	89	8	578	193	11	706	3,256	39	56
West Virginia	25	10	3	35	20	13	12	24	-	2
Wisconsin	72	62	6	308	41	20	71	952	68	28
Wyoming	9	1	-	3	1	1	5	60	1	-
U.S. territories and possessions										
Guam	1	1	-	11	-	-	62	-	1	1
Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	13	12	1	6	4	1	2	71	21	-
U.S. Virgin Islands	3	-	24	13	-	13	1	1	-	1
Armed Services Posts ...	6	-	-	2	-	2	9	1	-	1

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 16. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND
STATE OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

State of intended residence	Pakistan	Peru	Philip-pines	Poland	Russia	Taiwan	Ukraine	United Kingdom	Vietnam	Other
Total	14,535	9,613	42,474	10,114	17,110	9,040	15,810	13,385	26,747	198,778
Alabama	22	11	66	13	95	21	37	43	78	506
Alaska	5	13	327	6	131	4	17	47	21	286
Arizona	52	50	335	30	103	75	57	215	464	1,745
Arkansas	12	3	75	3	38	11	8	20	77	248
California	1,826	1,652	16,773	284	2,462	4,493	2,514	2,600	10,251	31,927
Colorado	66	67	151	49	252	45	170	260	351	1,888
Connecticut	236	289	441	783	264	66	180	341	208	3,472
Delaware	45	6	49	13	26	19	28	51	33	357
District of Columbia	24	18	75	14	35	4	12	41	65	916
Florida	606	2,396	1,922	317	871	207	450	1,675	994	20,194
Georgia	262	100	310	39	347	152	175	439	752	4,556
Hawaii	9	9	3,053	1	30	72	13	56	196	1,452
Idaho	-	18	41	5	46	8	18	21	35	217
Illinois	1,073	132	2,738	3,635	600	187	990	323	433	7,771
Indiana	60	19	185	54	180	40	100	98	99	1,069
Iowa	38	13	64	3	94	22	18	25	298	510
Kansas	80	25	129	8	93	56	53	77	350	897
Kentucky	25	11	88	3	64	6	43	44	144	667
Louisiana	91	14	97	3	68	17	18	94	335	868
Maine	5	5	40	8	62	4	29	85	49	374
Maryland	515	348	748	40	519	211	245	246	379	5,642
Massachusetts	255	119	267	345	782	170	410	613	902	9,627
Michigan	308	28	783	280	471	100	261	368	320	7,239
Minnesota	96	41	208	38	441	42	292	158	536	3,696
Mississippi	16	9	163	-	23	9	10	31	48	245
Missouri	100	24	227	24	249	66	155	117	331	1,985
Montana	-	3	39	4	35	2	5	20	2	147
Nebraska	7	9	64	4	48	8	51	18	281	453
Nevada	59	57	859	36	70	33	30	98	173	1,274
New Hampshire	25	12	123	12	74	23	42	112	43	682
New Jersey	1,085	1,451	1,845	1,209	805	568	768	493	428	10,248
New Mexico	18	13	82	5	67	7	8	41	138	285
New York	3,820	1,226	1,927	2,108	2,991	593	4,263	1,066	665	33,427
North Carolina	196	69	386	25	245	80	147	286	352	2,688
North Dakota	6	3	10	4	7	1	6	7	12	129
Ohio	149	56	281	97	516	106	417	285	280	3,718
Oklahoma	86	68	174	5	89	34	38	92	365	857
Oregon	27	29	286	18	285	82	523	146	511	1,877
Pennsylvania	277	106	464	253	826	135	944	524	879	5,745
Rhode Island	7	33	55	42	65	11	18	50	25	971
South Carolina	43	7	165	13	87	20	39	97	72	683
South Dakota	2	-	27	1	18	-	47	4	16	159
Tennessee	55	18	364	15	126	45	72	115	148	1,779
Texas	1,576	270	2,025	91	773	601	335	845	2,275	8,494
Utah	25	66	79	10	125	51	40	74	152	1,009
Vermont	4	6	17	6	25	9	5	30	56	241
Virginia	1,017	520	1,046	32	424	233	137	385	827	6,828
Washington	119	101	1,216	56	760	236	1,403	357	1,216	5,158
West Virginia	9	3	35	8	29	5	13	34	10	181
Wisconsin	87	23	148	62	235	19	149	89	57	1,919
Wyoming	5	3	18	-	19	2	4	11	3	55
U.S. territories and possessions	-	-	1,267	-	1	24	-	3	11	111
Guam	-	-	83	-	3	1	-	-	-	14
Northern Mariana Islands	1	-	6	-	4	4	-	5	1	390
Puerto Rico	1	40	5	-	1	-	2	8	-	849
U.S. Virgin Islands	2	-	23	-	11	-	1	2	-	53
Armed Services Posts ...	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 17. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY STATE OF INTENDED RESIDENCE
FISCAL YEARS 1992-2000**

State of intended residence	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Total	973,977	904,292	804,417	720,461	915,900	798,378	654,451	646,568	849,807
Alabama	2,109	2,298	1,837	1,900	1,782	1,613	1,608	1,275	1,904
Alaska	1,165	1,286	1,129	1,049	1,280	1,060	1,008	1,058	1,374
Arizona	15,792	9,778	9,141	7,700	8,900	8,632	6,211	8,667	11,980
Arkansas	1,039	1,312	1,031	934	1,494	1,428	914	940	1,596
California	336,663	260,090	208,498	166,482	201,529	203,305	170,126	161,247	217,753
Colorado	6,553	6,650	6,825	7,713	8,895	7,506	6,513	6,984	8,216
Connecticut	10,345	10,966	9,537	9,240	10,874	9,528	7,780	7,887	11,346
Delaware	1,034	1,132	984	1,051	1,377	1,148	1,063	1,026	1,570
District of Columbia	4,275	3,608	3,204	3,047	3,784	3,373	2,377	2,134	2,542
Florida	61,127	61,423	58,093	62,023	79,461	82,318	59,965	57,484	98,391
Georgia	11,243	10,213	10,032	12,381	12,608	12,623	10,445	9,404	14,778
Hawaii	8,199	8,528	7,746	7,537	8,436	6,867	5,465	4,299	6,056
Idaho	1,186	1,270	1,559	1,612	1,825	1,447	1,504	1,906	1,922
Illinois	43,532	46,744	42,400	33,898	42,517	38,128	33,163	36,971	36,180
Indiana	3,115	4,539	3,725	3,590	4,692	3,892	3,981	3,557	4,128
Iowa	2,228	2,626	2,163	2,260	3,037	2,766	1,655	1,780	3,052
Kansas	2,924	3,225	2,902	2,434	4,303	2,829	3,184	3,263	4,582
Kentucky	2,119	2,182	2,036	1,857	2,019	1,939	2,017	1,537	2,989
Louisiana	4,230	3,725	3,366	3,000	4,092	3,319	2,193	2,048	3,016
Maine	847	838	829	814	1,028	817	709	568	1,133
Maryland	15,408	16,899	15,937	15,055	20,732	19,090	15,561	15,605	17,705
Massachusetts	22,231	25,011	22,882	20,523	23,085	17,317	15,869	15,180	23,483
Michigan	14,268	14,913	12,728	14,135	17,253	14,727	13,943	13,650	16,773
Minnesota	6,851	7,438	7,098	8,111	8,977	8,233	6,981	5,956	8,671
Mississippi	842	906	815	757	1,073	1,118	701	698	1,083
Missouri	4,250	4,644	4,362	3,990	5,690	4,190	3,588	4,171	6,053
Montana	493	509	447	409	449	375	299	309	493
Nebraska	1,486	1,980	1,595	1,831	2,150	2,270	1,267	1,439	2,230
Nevada	5,086	4,045	4,051	4,306	5,874	6,541	6,106	8,305	7,827
New Hampshire	1,250	1,263	1,144	1,186	1,512	1,143	1,010	999	2,001
New Jersey	48,314	50,285	44,083	39,729	63,303	41,184	35,091	34,095	40,013
New Mexico	3,907	3,409	2,936	2,758	5,780	2,610	2,199	2,445	3,973
New York	149,399	151,209	144,354	128,406	154,095	123,716	96,559	96,979	106,061
North Carolina	6,425	6,892	6,204	5,617	7,011	5,935	6,415	5,792	9,251
North Dakota	513	601	635	483	606	535	472	314	420
Ohio	10,194	10,703	9,184	8,585	10,237	8,189	7,697	6,855	9,263
Oklahoma	3,147	2,942	2,728	2,792	3,511	3,157	2,273	2,376	4,586
Oregon	6,275	7,250	6,784	4,923	7,554	7,699	5,909	5,233	8,543
Pennsylvania	16,213	16,964	15,971	15,065	16,938	14,553	11,942	13,514	18,148
Rhode Island	2,920	3,168	2,907	2,609	3,098	2,543	1,976	2,058	2,526
South Carolina	2,118	2,195	2,110	2,165	2,151	2,446	2,125	1,773	2,267
South Dakota	522	543	570	495	519	490	356	356	465
Tennessee	2,995	4,287	3,608	3,392	4,343	4,357	2,806	2,584	4,882
Texas	75,533	67,380	56,158	49,963	83,385	57,897	44,428	49,393	63,840
Utah	2,744	3,266	2,951	2,831	4,250	2,840	3,360	3,564	3,710
Vermont	668	709	658	535	654	627	513	497	810
Virginia	17,739	16,451	15,342	16,319	21,375	19,277	15,686	15,144	20,087
Washington	15,861	17,147	18,180	15,862	18,833	18,656	16,920	13,046	18,486
West Virginia	723	689	663	540	583	418	375	392	573
Wisconsin	4,261	5,168	5,328	4,919	3,607	3,175	3,724	3,043	5,057
Wyoming	281	263	217	252	280	252	159	253	248
U.S. territories and possessions									
Guam	2,464	3,072	2,531	2,419	2,820	2,083	1,835	1,729	1,556
Marshall Islands	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Mariana Islands	67	158	120	171	176	103	103	150	122
Puerto Rico	6,347	7,614	10,463	7,160	8,560	4,884	3,251	3,048	2,649
U.S. Virgin Islands	1,754	1,610	1,426	1,511	1,384	1,110	979	1,480	1,328
Armed Services Posts	-	-	-	-	-	-	88	105	116
Other or unknown	703	276	209	135	119	100	4	3	-

- Represents zero.

TABLE 18. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND SELECTED METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF INTENDED RESIDENCE FISCAL YEAR 2000

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	All countries	Bangla-desh	Bosnia-Herzego-vina	Canada	China, People's Republic	Colom-bia	Cuba	Domini-can Republic	Ecuador	El Salvador
Total	849,807	7,215	11,828	16,210	45,652	14,498	20,831	17,536	7,685	22,578
New York, NY	85,867	3,255	196	501	7,703	1,947	212	7,835	3,042	991
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	70,644	296	62	375	3,966	360	225	30	266	6,846
Miami, FL	47,404	43	6	184	192	2,975	13,356	916	518	340
Chicago, IL	32,300	76	1,212	295	1,244	199	104	64	297	123
Washington, DC-MD-VA	29,394	461	84	260	1,361	271	42	201	156	3,541
Orange County, CA	20,859	42	22	204	512	111	39	6	31	537
Houston, TX	17,429	81	212	280	906	234	80	42	54	1,537
San Jose, CA	16,874	53	213	218	1,430	46	21	5	10	167
Boston-Lawrence-Lowell-Brockton, MA	16,469	80	261	306	1,470	256	63	1,061	62	233
Oakland, CA	16,150	34	191	257	1,915	64	33	8	7	417
San Francisco, CA	16,143	13	99	237	3,236	50	32	-	18	723
Fort Lauderdale, FL	14,835	110	4	394	172	1,296	427	256	237	104
San Diego, CA	14,624	11	36	162	488	54	50	3	13	66
Dallas, TX	14,044	143	109	343	721	93	57	4	30	598
Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	12,994	39	19	102	171	63	38	3	31	420
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	12,635	216	21	221	1,065	141	59	171	64	22
Detroit, MI	11,229	265	425	489	415	39	9	7	8	12
Atlanta, GA	11,190	179	417	331	531	153	59	23	20	110
Newark, NJ	11,055	42	50	104	362	567	261	360	526	224
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	10,188	22	238	557	702	37	10	5	15	43
Nassau-Suffolk, NY	9,427	157	5	62	397	355	15	433	240	1,483
Bergen-Passaic, NJ	9,244	185	58	42	255	479	84	890	194	90
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	7,794	98	5	230	86	340	427	72	77	37
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	7,334	41	577	258	209	30	62	3	10	63
Orlando, FL	7,149	40	99	203	176	481	268	178	113	54
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	6,823	22	108	233	432	77	19	18	40	35
Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon, NJ	6,760	34	17	68	618	132	55	354	66	49
Sacramento, CA	6,653	2	35	87	356	18	10	1	3	38
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	6,651	16	179	175	468	17	110	1	6	28
Jersey City, NJ	6,392	32	-	20	152	387	614	629	477	307
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	6,160	14	357	314	147	240	635	85	73	26
Las Vegas, NV	5,037	12	104	88	132	48	227	13	10	240
Denver, CO	4,934	15	52	162	311	23	8	8	4	71
Fresno, CA	4,899	-	-	25	46	10	-	3	1	136
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	4,665	52	65	62	85	37	8	16	4	71
Baltimore, MD	4,452	49	11	65	331	32	18	17	14	105
Honolulu, HI	4,409	7	-	56	469	8	3	1	3	1
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk-Danbury, CT	4,344	55	32	95	131	205	19	94	140	30
El Paso, TX	3,922	2	-	12	10	11	-	4	1	8
Ventura, CA	3,744	5	-	37	84	21	4	-	8	70
Hartford, CT	3,696	16	52	103	157	96	20	34	40	11
Salinas, CA	3,245	-	-	16	32	6	-	-	2	79
St. Louis, MO-IL	3,186	15	448	73	250	16	7	4	6	5
Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH	3,104	21	91	78	181	16	10	12	7	6
Austin-San Marcos, TX	3,060	23	8	102	160	26	48	1	-	65
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	2,947	-	-	31	3	4	7	1	-	18
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	2,929	3	46	42	258	2	2	-	3	13
Kansas City, MO-KS	2,778	11	25	92	174	24	40	9	14	26
San Antonio, TX	2,777	4	7	55	93	35	22	3	3	21
Stockton-Lodi, CA	2,721	1	-	20	67	5	3	2	-	17
Other MSA	142,864	666	3,845	5,065	7,189	1,715	1,933	1,355	555	1,207
Non-MSA	73,380	156	1,725	2,419	3,631	646	976	2,295	166	1,114

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 18. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND SELECTED METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF INTENDED RESIDENCE FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	Germany	Guatemala	Haiti	India	Iran	Jamaica	Korea	Mexico	Nicaragua	Nigeria
Total	7,638	9,970	22,364	42,046	8,519	16,000	15,830	173,919	24,029	7,853
New York, NY	357	422	4,351	2,409	235	5,072	1,348	1,510	645	973
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	265	2,851	29	1,295	1,907	110	2,123	24,608	2,319	327
Miami, FL	139	341	3,953	144	43	1,402	26	734	12,960	70
Chicago, IL	183	371	94	2,945	158	112	474	7,720	104	393
Washington, DC-MD-VA	198	580	184	1,922	588	412	1,034	872	831	808
Orange County, CA	114	300	2	696	555	9	680	8,826	138	33
Houston, TX	81	186	13	1,266	220	48	109	5,612	278	456
San Jose, CA	153	66	2	1,952	351	8	342	3,743	270	42
Boston-Lawrence-Lowell-Brockton, MA	266	198	1,660	875	100	234	157	130	63	175
Oakland, CA	121	134	7	1,681	243	19	228	2,916	583	120
San Francisco, CA	169	205	20	541	139	23	174	1,557	1,118	18
Fort Lauderdale, FL	125	84	2,550	228	68	2,356	55	292	397	58
San Diego, CA	116	83	6	175	236	20	222	7,523	28	10
Dallas, TX	58	101	1	1,215	208	40	240	4,993	170	366
Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	52	251	7	266	68	12	136	8,197	326	58
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	115	80	241	1,203	97	354	447	660	179	204
Detroit, MI	144	37	2	1,075	82	73	115	431	15	139
Atlanta, GA	124	66	120	1,063	182	266	284	918	89	465
Newark, NJ	70	111	1,639	757	35	419	115	92	78	319
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	140	41	4	426	154	5	459	575	26	46
Nassau-Suffolk, NY	48	163	661	585	140	437	183	125	49	72
Bergen-Passaic, NJ	56	46	19	691	67	289	658	219	21	49
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	70	96	2,416	105	28	543	27	483	312	9
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	79	64	10	288	68	8	80	3,046	47	27
Orlando, FL	90	45	748	237	58	298	63	460	140	27
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	67	76	8	345	55	29	151	329	25	148
Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon, NJ	70	54	42	1,653	25	64	86	128	58	68
Sacramento, CA	36	18	-	443	75	11	67	1,274	82	30
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	65	74	4	308	106	11	164	1,123	13	12
Jersey City, NJ	18	67	70	479	11	28	36	64	126	36
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	129	27	112	255	36	95	46	466	91	44
Las Vegas, NV	33	80	11	63	29	11	53	1,904	205	13
Denver, CO	55	49	2	168	48	3	119	1,632	19	58
Fresno, CA	6	6	-	298	35	6	15	3,683	8	11
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	21	36	-	254	35	15	53	2,011	16	76
Baltimore, MD	45	49	15	380	100	149	356	82	13	253
Honolulu, HI	34	5	1	21	14	3	264	29	-	-
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk-Danbury, CT	38	88	398	200	26	284	45	118	92	19
El Paso, TX	27	8	-	19	6	-	18	3,608	4	2
Ventura, CA	19	56	-	67	60	-	26	2,428	24	-
Hartford, CT	29	27	16	205	27	559	36	52	4	58
Salinas, CA	11	9	-	22	4	-	27	2,622	3	1
St. Louis, MO-IL	64	52	3	230	30	7	59	110	7	24
Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH	33	23	1	229	27	44	32	124	6	29
Austin-San Marcos, TX	32	16	1	275	47	12	44	944	40	46
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	-	9	-	17	-	3	1	2,571	4	6
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	46	10	-	595	56	3	33	237	21	4
Kansas City, MO-KS	27	26	11	161	59	18	44	477	10	57
San Antonio, TX	36	25	1	125	35	4	33	1,624	14	5
Stockton-Lodi, CA	5	16	3	141	2	2	8	1,494	17	9
Other MSA	2,344	1,598	2,013	8,381	1,246	1,405	2,601	33,994	1,105	1,301
Non-MSA	1,015	544	913	2,672	295	665	1,634	24,549	836	279

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 18. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY SELECTED COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND SELECTED METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA OF INTENDED RESIDENCE FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued

Metropolitan statistical area ¹	Pakistan	Peru	Philip-pines	Poland	Russia	Taiwan	Ukraine	United Kingdom	Vietnam	Other
Total	14,535	9,613	42,474	10,114	17,110	9,040	15,810	13,385	26,747	198,778
New York, NY	3,069	950	1,413	1,726	2,360	427	3,600	728	333	28,257
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	443	670	5,273	75	468	1,788	473	606	2,190	10,398
Miami, FL	161	1,369	264	41	147	46	49	155	35	6,795
Chicago, IL	1,011	124	2,268	3,541	490	160	917	275	351	6,995
Washington, DC-MD-VA	1,225	817	1,022	58	535	343	150	365	970	10,103
Orange County, CA	175	215	1,009	38	118	477	36	220	2,912	2,802
Houston, TX	806	84	430	15	161	230	32	289	1,022	2,665
San Jose, CA	139	115	1,176	38	342	757	136	347	2,092	2,640
Boston-Lawrence-Lowell-Brockton, MA	180	98	169	115	438	115	204	388	716	6,396
Oakland, CA	227	147	1,702	24	219	546	130	324	633	3,220
San Francisco, CA	95	170	1,750	25	373	281	401	343	540	3,793
Fort Lauderdale, FL	161	561	183	73	104	22	61	271	79	4,107
San Diego, CA	48	73	1,925	20	150	135	77	172	592	2,130
Dallas, TX	356	79	292	22	193	210	96	233	514	2,559
Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	116	101	637	15	54	97	29	93	295	1,298
Philadelphia, PA-NJ	201	52	374	207	492	86	750	303	648	3,962
Detroit, MI	234	11	497	236	249	55	174	198	91	5,702
Atlanta, GA	222	77	151	27	269	123	136	308	656	3,821
Newark, NJ	200	411	365	290	180	150	224	136	74	2,894
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA	99	75	729	40	326	188	654	227	836	3,509
Nassau-Suffolk, NY	477	204	247	226	158	78	112	91	62	2,162
Bergen-Passaic, NJ	156	535	414	523	257	95	233	106	28	2,505
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton, FL	36	105	176	54	82	8	45	130	54	1,643
Phoenix-Mesa, AZ	29	33	251	27	55	66	30	158	403	1,312
Orlando, FL	115	166	178	16	116	27	37	305	232	2,179
Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN-WI	91	33	153	31	354	35	246	107	441	3,115
Middlesex-Somerset-Hunterdon, NJ	276	131	318	176	143	187	149	92	73	1,574
Sacramento, CA	130	10	457	14	321	51	909	90	274	1,811
Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	28	21	216	16	316	78	642	127	518	1,809
Jersey City, NJ	190	268	408	83	35	22	27	44	63	1,699
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	33	56	224	49	95	20	66	247	359	1,819
Las Vegas, NV	43	29	545	31	36	20	16	70	90	881
Denver, CO	60	48	89	18	185	30	127	113	284	1,173
Fresno, CA	28	7	119	-	15	3	19	12	37	370
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	136	25	116	10	78	42	29	47	285	980
Baltimore, MD	189	29	197	16	186	42	142	99	85	1,383
Honolulu, HI	8	7	1,977	1	20	68	11	31	186	1,181
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk-Danbury, CT	64	105	143	137	93	28	47	194	72	1,352
El Paso, TX	1	3	58	-	-	7	3	2	4	104
Ventura, CA	15	25	275	2	31	39	2	59	56	331
Hartford, CT	76	140	119	513	74	18	79	74	81	980
Salinas, CA	-	9	191	4	11	3	7	19	20	147
St. Louis, MO-IL	59	16	101	14	158	36	110	62	165	1,055
Cleveland-Lorain-Elyria, OH	41	28	54	66	183	23	265	79	68	1,327
Austin-San Marcos, TX	62	7	83	8	81	45	13	96	149	626
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	8	4	201	-	-	1	-	6	-	52
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	46	16	394	4	46	204	17	75	312	441
Kansas City, MO-KS	57	12	79	5	74	41	49	53	144	959
San Antonio, TX	34	17	114	5	45	10	23	20	49	315
Stockton-Lodi, CA	182	5	340	1	11	3	5	11	91	260
Other MSA	2,187	951	6,358	1,067	4,184	1,128	2,692	3,395	5,362	36,022
Non-MSA	510	369	6,250	371	1,999	346	1,329	1,390	1,121	13,165

¹ Ranked by the number of immigrants. See Glossary for definition of metropolitan statistical area.

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 19. IMMIGRANTS AND IMMIGRANT BENEFICIARIES OF OCCUPATIONAL PREFERENCES
ADMITTED BY TYPE OF ADMISSION AND OCCUPATION
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

Occupation	All immigrants	Employment-based principals							All other immigrants
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref. (skilled worker or professional)	3rd pref. (other workers)	4th pref.	5th pref.	
All occupations	849,807	50,135	11,452	9,815	22,435	1,951	4,403	79	799,672
Professional specialty and technical occupations	58,896	26,406	3,709	7,590	11,789	26	3,291	1	32,490
Architects and surveyors	5,777	808	125	336	340	3	4	-	4,969
Counselors (educational and vocational)	84	15	1	4	7	2	1	-	69
Engineers and mapping scientists	7,325	5,383	786	2,606	1,991	-	-	-	1,942
Aerospace engineers	25	23	10	9	4	-	-	-	2
Chemical engineers, including nuclear and petrochemical	125	108	31	51	26	-	-	-	17
Civil engineers	164	138	13	67	58	-	-	-	26
Electrical and electronic engineers	2,149	1,857	255	851	751	-	-	-	292
Industrial engineers	283	216	22	126	68	-	-	-	67
Mechanical engineers, including marine engineers and naval architects	322	281	47	138	96	-	-	-	41
Metallurgical and materials engineers, including mining	2,176	1,798	247	884	667	-	-	-	378
Engineers, unspecified or not elsewhere classified ..	2,081	962	161	480	321	-	-	-	1,119
Health assessment and treating occupations	8,398	5,838	10	43	5,780	4	-	1	2,560
Nurses	7,266	4,919	4	15	4,896	3	-	1	2,347
Pharmacists, dieticians, physician's assistants, and therapists (other than physical therapists)	348	213	6	26	180	1	-	-	135
Physical therapists	784	706	-	2	704	-	-	-	78
Health diagnosing or treating occupations	5,502	986	116	752	111	2	5	-	4,516
Doctors	3,715	819	94	699	24	1	1	-	2,896
Dentists, optometrists, podiatrists, and other health diagnosing or treating occupations	1,787	167	22	53	87	1	4	-	1,620
Lawyers and judges	902	56	10	31	14	-	1	-	846
Librarians, archivists, and curators	53	11	-	8	3	-	-	-	42
Mathematical and computer scientists	4,735	3,385	308	1,252	1,821	1	3	-	1,350
Natural scientists	3,239	2,443	1,095	1,283	65	-	-	-	796
Life scientists	1,466	1,271	506	737	28	-	-	-	195
Physical scientists	1,773	1,172	589	546	37	-	-	-	601
Social, recreation, and religious workers	4,001	3,302	-	14	27	2	3,259	-	699
Social scientists and urban planners	464	125	48	62	12	-	3	-	339
Teachers, college and university	3,183	843	406	398	35	1	3	-	2,340
Teachers, except college and university	4,110	231	30	55	137	5	4	-	3,879
Technologists and technicians	7,518	2,057	137	680	1,231	3	6	-	5,461
Writers, artists, entertainers, and athletes	3,605	923	637	66	215	3	2	-	2,682
Athletes and related workers	173	121	87	5	29	-	-	-	52
Editors, reporters, public relation specialists, and announcers	82	50	16	3	31	-	-	-	32
Performers	67	36	27	5	4	-	-	-	31
Writers, artists, and composers	3,283	716	507	53	151	3	2	-	2,567
Executive, administrative, and managerial occupations	20,649	8,220	6,236	521	1,369	11	34	49	12,429
Administrative support occupations, including clerical	15,010	288	35	17	159	29	48	-	14,722
Sales occupations	13,059	323	41	32	223	21	6	-	12,736
Farming, forestry, and fishing occupations	11,347	141	2	6	105	28	-	-	11,206
Agricultural occupations, including horticultural and marine life	10,848	135	2	6	100	27	-	-	10,713
Fishers, hunters, and trappers	128	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	126
Forestry and logging occupations	371	4	-	-	4	-	-	-	367
Operators, fabricators, and laborers	29,522	601	10	9	411	154	17	-	28,921
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	17,810	383	7	7	270	86	13	-	17,427
Machine operators and tenders, except precision	3,307	101	-	-	87	14	-	-	3,206
Transportation and material moving occupations	8,405	117	3	2	54	54	4	-	8,288

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 19. IMMIGRANTS AND IMMIGRANT BENEFICIARIES OF OCCUPATIONAL PREFERENCES
ADMITTED BY TYPE OF ADMISSION AND OCCUPATION
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Occupation	All immigrants	Employment-based principals							All other immigrants
		Total	1st pref.	2nd pref.	3rd pref. (skilled worker or professional)	3rd pref. (other workers)	4th pref.	5th pref.	
Precision, production, craft, and repair occupations	9,727	1,246	48	67	1,087	38	6	-	8,481
Construction trades	1,386	304	1	1	296	6	-	-	1,082
Extractive occupations	167	111	38	60	11	-	2	-	56
Mechanics and repairers	966	220	1	-	215	4	-	-	746
Precision production occupations	7,208	611	8	6	565	28	4	-	6,597
Service occupations	31,244	3,528	26	14	2,702	712	73	1	27,716
Cleaning and building service occupations, except private household	1,671	167	1	1	55	110	-	-	1,504
Food and beverage preparation and service occupations, except private household	3,027	1,608	8	3	1,553	44	-	-	1,419
Health service occupations	532	39	1	4	28	6	-	-	493
Personal service occupations	460	71	5	-	52	13	-	1	389
Private household service occupations	25,381	1,640	10	6	1,012	539	73	-	23,741
Protective service occupations	173	3	1	-	2	-	-	-	170
Military occupations	48	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	47
No occupation	359,511	802	68	84	249	133	267	1	358,709
Homemakers	95,007	188	14	14	77	76	6	1	94,819
Students or children	229,478	383	45	62	76	26	174	-	229,095
Retirees	2,377	31	1	-	2	-	28	-	2,346
Unemployed	32,649	200	8	8	94	31	59	-	32,449
Unknown or not reported	300,794	8,579	1,277	1,475	4,340	799	661	27	292,215

- Represents zero.

**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupa- tion or not re- ported ¹
		Total	Profes- sional specialty and tech- nical	Executive, admini- strative, and man- agerial	Sales	Admini- strative support	Precision produc- tion, craft, and repair	Operator, fabricator, and laborer	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service	
All countries	849,807	189,357	58,896	20,649	13,059	15,010	9,727	29,522	11,347	31,244	660,353
Europe	132,480	38,428	13,559	4,944	2,079	3,619	2,728	4,311	598	6,590	94,052
Albania	4,756	2,171	577	74	141	177	169	266	135	632	2,585
Andorra	5	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	4
Armenia	1,259	265	130	16	14	31	8	15	1	50	994
Austria	409	145	57	39	2	19	-	6	2	20	264
Azerbaijan	1,054	233	83	19	15	28	13	26	1	48	821
Belarus	2,207	531	202	31	41	40	44	81	-	92	1,676
Belgium	679	215	86	85	10	17	3	3	1	10	464
Bosnia-Herzegovina	11,828	3,739	231	60	172	112	570	1,698	17	879	8,089
Bulgaria	4,925	2,269	914	148	168	326	105	96	23	489	2,656
Croatia	1,078	377	86	17	11	18	39	114	2	90	701
Czech Republic	244	90	31	15	4	17	4	2	-	17	154
Czechoslovakia ²	671	131	61	22	4	15	5	9	-	15	540
Denmark	541	201	81	52	8	10	4	1	1	44	340
Estonia	241	55	14	6	2	6	5	7	-	15	186
Finland	378	163	61	40	8	9	6	1	-	38	215
France	3,465	1,005	363	356	47	70	21	24	1	123	2,460
Georgia	495	134	64	18	4	20	5	7	-	16	361
Germany	7,638	2,838	1,049	609	191	447	101	75	8	358	4,800
Gibraltar	5	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	3
Greece	970	262	119	23	12	12	8	36	6	46	708
Hungary	1,025	287	135	47	10	23	17	6	2	47	738
Iceland	129	53	18	8	4	2	6	4	-	11	76
Ireland	1,315	522	189	115	24	81	21	28	6	58	793
Italy	2,489	644	237	138	40	36	11	37	4	141	1,845
Kazakhstan	1,509	302	110	26	4	35	26	32	2	67	1,207
Kyrgyzstan	396	75	25	3	6	8	4	13	-	16	321
Latvia	552	97	33	7	2	18	4	13	-	20	455
Liechtenstein	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Lithuania	1,354	575	163	52	52	82	37	33	10	146	779
Luxembourg	26	10	4	4	-	1	-	-	-	1	16
Macedonia	794	139	54	2	11	18	7	15	5	27	655
Malta	55	17	4	9	-	1	-	2	-	1	38
Moldova	1,273	237	77	20	11	19	20	39	2	49	1,036
Monaco	12	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	9
Netherlands	1,351	383	152	150	16	23	3	14	6	19	968
Norway	462	162	79	29	10	16	-	5	-	23	300
Poland	10,114	3,323	1,226	76	116	214	607	331	263	490	6,791
Portugal	1,372	279	31	23	8	8	40	91	25	53	1,093
Romania	6,879	2,427	1,100	119	140	324	128	142	16	458	4,452
Russia	17,110	3,056	1,518	262	171	337	123	214	5	426	14,054
Slovak Republic	549	199	71	24	14	33	6	9	2	40	350
Slovenia	76	20	11	1	1	2	-	2	1	2	56
Soviet Union ²	3,332	390	140	27	28	24	53	70	-	48	2,942
Spain	1,264	327	165	60	15	26	7	11	3	40	937
Sweden	1,269	407	144	120	27	41	5	10	1	59	862
Switzerland	1,039	414	137	121	14	48	22	8	1	63	625
Tajikistan	157	63	26	2	6	3	6	4	1	15	94
Turkmenistan	100	27	10	2	2	4	1	-	-	8	73
Ukraine	15,810	3,823	1,463	178	242	391	291	464	22	772	11,987
United Kingdom....	13,385	4,345	1,663	1,621	189	348	104	135	11	274	9,040
Uzbekistan	1,659	406	148	26	32	41	30	42	1	86	1,253
Yugoslavia ²	2,774	589	216	41	30	35	39	70	11	147	2,185
Asia	265,400	73,222	30,115	9,346	5,634	4,803	1,985	6,282	6,401	8,656	192,178
Afghanistan	1,012	148	57	9	23	3	4	23	1	28	864
Bahrain	106	15	7	3	-	-	-	-	1	4	91
Bangladesh	7,215	1,895	471	100	381	80	54	64	100	645	5,320

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupation or not reported ¹
		Total	Professional specialty and technical	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operator, fabricator, and laborer	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service	
Bhutan	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Brunei	16	5	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	11
Burma	1,201	354	105	36	66	23	20	41	3	60	847
Cambodia	2,142	425	65	25	167	10	33	26	29	70	1,717
China, People's Republic	45,652	14,997	5,645	1,978	376	1,036	117	1,817	3,094	934	30,655
Cyprus	162	39	21	6	-	3	1	1	-	7	123
Hong Kong	5,419	1,986	598	608	143	271	40	111	2	213	3,433
India	42,046	13,724	8,632	1,644	689	573	171	137	1,080	798	28,322
Indonesia	1,774	438	142	149	31	50	-	6	1	59	1,336
Iran	8,519	1,832	820	273	215	138	77	49	14	246	6,687
Iraq	5,134	1,268	166	53	79	37	143	544	8	238	3,866
Israel	2,806	642	294	160	34	51	22	19	4	58	2,164
Japan	7,094	1,229	370	517	51	67	12	13	-	199	5,865
Jordan	3,909	885	268	189	75	67	4	94	19	169	3,024
Korea	15,830	3,060	1,192	512	288	373	125	236	32	302	12,770
Kuwait	1,018	234	91	50	28	16	1	8	2	38	784
Laos	1,380	147	33	-	-	8	12	44	28	22	1,233
Lebanon	3,674	801	279	91	71	28	29	20	5	278	2,873
Macau	270	96	17	33	3	16	1	7	-	19	174
Malaysia	1,556	509	244	111	27	35	10	9	1	72	1,047
Maldives	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Mongolia	46	9	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	37
Nepal	617	189	81	17	10	12	4	4	2	59	428
Oman	51	3	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	48
Pakistan	14,535	3,192	979	757	117	91	78	56	177	937	11,343
Philippines	42,474	11,749	6,328	676	857	994	92	737	895	1,170	30,725
Qatar	97	10	4	3	-	1	-	-	-	2	87
Saudi Arabia	1,063	72	34	16	7	6	-	2	1	6	991
Singapore	671	178	78	70	5	8	2	2	1	12	493
Sri Lanka	1,123	409	199	69	10	54	12	8	1	56	714
Syria	2,374	465	187	33	47	15	10	11	16	146	1,909
Taiwan	9,040	3,043	1,522	683	269	362	15	28	14	150	5,997
Thailand	3,785	807	204	139	127	102	13	28	26	168	2,978
Turkey	2,613	855	359	148	66	96	38	21	9	118	1,758
United Arab Emirates	436	20	13	2	-	3	-	1	-	1	416
Vietnam	26,747	7,376	586	178	1,364	170	845	2,040	831	1,362	19,371
Yemen	1,789	115	13	4	7	4	-	74	4	9	1,674
Africa	44,731	13,893	4,784	1,393	1,123	1,933	722	954	208	2,776	30,838
Algeria	907	379	163	30	15	50	22	10	-	89	528
Angola	88	13	1	2	-	1	1	3	1	4	75
Benin	62	24	4	4	3	4	2	1	-	6	38
Botswana	13	5	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	8
Burkina Faso	48	10	4	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	38
Burundi	28	10	2	1	1	3	1	1	-	1	18
Cameroon	865	231	108	19	11	31	3	10	9	40	634
Cape Verde	1,083	175	17	-	16	1	-	67	3	71	908
Cen. African Rep.	4	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	2
Chad	23	8	-	2	1	-	1	3	-	1	15
Comoros	3	2	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Congo, Dem. Rep.	124	25	8	7	1	-	-	2	-	7	99
Congo, Republic	191	58	29	7	4	9	2	-	-	7	133
Cote d'Ivoire	439	70	14	6	10	7	3	7	-	23	369
Djibouti	14	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	10
Egypt	4,461	1,533	724	241	93	196	28	46	19	186	2,928
Equatorial Guinea	5	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
Eritrea	383	68	17	2	4	15	1	11	-	18	315
Ethiopia	4,061	988	203	30	120	222	51	57	5	300	3,073

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupa- tion or not re- ported ¹
		Total	Profes- sional specialty and tech- nical	Executive, admini- strative, and man- agerial	Sales	Admini- strative support	Precision produc- tion, craft, and repair	Operator, fabricator, and laborer	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service	
Gabon	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Gambia, The	232	43	5	5	7	10	1	1	-	14	189
Ghana	4,344	1,568	474	49	126	129	192	111	33	454	2,776
Guinea	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Guinea-Bissau	204	31	9	6	4	1	1	2	-	8	173
Kenya	2,210	675	210	100	49	170	12	24	12	98	1,535
Lesotho	9	3	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	6
Liberia	1,575	329	87	23	29	57	8	22	12	91	1,246
Libya	181	34	21	4	4	1	-	1	-	3	147
Madagascar	33	5	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	1	28
Malawi	61	16	3	5	-	4	1	-	-	3	45
Mali	109	23	10	1	3	4	1	1	1	2	86
Mauritania	88	6	4	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	82
Mauritius	54	15	11	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	39
Morocco	3,626	1,381	277	66	51	223	158	222	18	366	2,245
Mozambique	41	9	4	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	32
Namibia	30	11	4	3	-	3	-	-	-	1	19
Niger	30	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	26
Nigeria	7,853	2,755	1,202	300	329	367	66	54	63	374	5,098
Rwanda	73	20	3	-	3	-	2	5	-	7	53
Sao Tome and Principe	8	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Senegal	555	116	34	11	15	16	5	14	2	19	439
Seychelles	18	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	17
Sierra Leone	1,590	475	134	24	38	70	22	27	4	156	1,115
Somalia	2,465	534	43	3	46	22	46	197	2	175	1,931
South Africa	2,833	893	441	253	34	84	15	13	6	47	1,940
St. Helena	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Sudan	1,538	557	225	39	40	124	13	19	8	89	981
Swaziland	12	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	10
Tanzania	481	158	58	36	16	25	5	6	-	12	323
Togo	388	177	42	7	15	22	42	5	3	41	211
Tunisia	308	100	35	10	5	18	6	3	2	21	208
Uganda	423	148	49	25	16	22	6	6	2	22	275
Western Sahara	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Zambia	211	73	43	17	4	5	1	1	-	2	138
Zimbabwe	323	123	53	42	5	11	2	1	2	7	200
Oceania	5,136	1,566	559	283	101	169	39	160	56	199	3,570
American Samoa ..	7	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
Australia	2,059	670	308	175	25	62	12	14	3	71	1,389
Cook Islands	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Fiji	1,487	454	71	32	46	75	12	112	33	73	1,033
French Polynesia ..	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14
Kiribati	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Marshall Islands ...	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Micronesia, Federated States ...	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Nauru	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
New Caledonia	3	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
New Zealand	972	357	159	74	23	20	12	15	10	44	615
Northern Mariana Islands	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Palau	3	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Papua New Guinea	22	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20
Samoa	184	11	3	-	-	2	1	2	1	2	173
Solomon Islands ...	7	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	5
Tonga	351	59	10	-	6	8	2	16	9	8	292
Tuvalu	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Vanuatu	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1

See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 20. IMMIGRANTS ADMITTED BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP
AND REGION AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH
FISCAL YEAR 2000—Continued**

Region and country of birth	Total	Occupation									No occupation or not reported ¹
		Total	Professional specialty and technical	Executive, administrative, and managerial	Sales	Administrative support	Precision production, craft, and repair	Operator, fabricator, and laborer	Farming, forestry, and fishing	Service	
North America	344,805	50,607	6,853	3,366	3,032	3,236	3,650	15,590	3,817	11,063	294,198
Canada	16,210	3,923	1,855	1,407	116	128	63	109	18	227	12,287
Mexico	173,919	13,612	549	350	264	297	363	7,584	2,061	2,144	160,307
United States	35	10	2	4	-	-	2	-	-	2	25
Caribbean	88,198	21,860	3,531	970	1,742	2,006	2,235	4,365	1,485	5,526	66,338
Anguilla	27	10	1	4	-	2	1	1	-	1	17
Antigua-Barbuda	431	116	16	16	3	22	6	2	5	46	315
Aruba	25	7	1	1	-	2	1	1	1	-	18
Bahamas, The	768	114	24	7	6	7	2	16	-	52	654
Barbados	783	173	34	19	2	24	10	11	4	69	610
Bermuda	72	28	7	6	-	3	1	3	1	7	44
British Virgin Is.	67	10	1	-	-	2	1	1	-	5	57
Cayman Islands	31	5	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	26
Cuba	20,831	5,496	1,124	178	322	441	522	1,886	66	957	15,335
Dominica	96	4	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	92
Dominican Rep.	17,536	4,362	677	226	260	388	327	1,648	264	572	13,174
Grenada	655	168	26	14	8	24	17	10	6	63	487
Guadeloupe	51	9	-	2	1	2	-	1	-	3	42
Haiti	22,364	4,647	605	168	832	403	1,006	301	917	415	17,717
Jamaica	16,000	4,661	575	127	201	455	143	286	191	2,683	11,339
Martinique	20	5	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	15
Montserrat	71	17	2	1	1	1	6	1	-	5	54
Netherlands											
Antilles	53	11	3	1	1	1	1	2	-	2	42
Puerto Rico	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
St. Kitts-Nevis ...	504	168	23	17	7	19	15	4	-	83	336
St. Lucia	601	144	16	9	7	13	10	5	12	72	457
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	500	133	24	16	3	8	14	8	3	57	367
Trinidad and Tobago	6,660	1,566	370	155	88	189	151	171	15	427	5,094
Turks and Caicos Islands	46	4	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	42
U.S. Virgin Is.	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Central America	66,443	11,202	916	635	910	805	987	3,532	253	3,164	55,241
Belize	760	88	28	2	5	9	1	34	-	9	672
Costa Rica	1,324	217	65	29	15	12	13	43	5	35	1,107
El Salvador	22,578	2,679	140	86	119	73	164	854	129	1,114	19,899
Guatemala	9,970	1,039	113	70	61	65	64	501	33	132	8,931
Honduras	5,939	913	143	36	71	122	52	277	15	197	5,026
Nicaragua	24,029	5,914	338	385	610	453	693	1,764	68	1,603	18,115
Panama	1,843	352	89	27	29	71	-	59	3	74	1,491
South America	56,074	11,493	2,929	1,277	1,076	1,226	593	2,200	265	1,927	44,581
Argentina	2,331	513	218	109	24	63	30	22	-	47	1,818
Bolivia	1,772	349	65	26	17	35	55	62	7	82	1,423
Brazil	6,959	1,513	508	323	78	124	64	61	14	341	5,446
Chile	1,712	323	106	50	36	36	17	31	3	44	1,389
Colombia	14,498	2,603	677	229	258	131	43	1,103	25	137	11,895
Ecuador	7,685	1,639	312	82	284	240	111	251	64	295	6,046
French Guiana	13	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Guyana	5,746	1,723	275	80	113	229	188	274	128	436	4,023
Paraguay	342	57	12	6	3	3	4	5	2	22	285
Peru	9,613	1,773	371	148	188	237	61	309	12	447	7,840
Suriname	257	44	18	9	-	2	-	7	5	3	213
Uruguay	430	103	31	21	7	6	10	9	1	18	327
Venezuela	4,716	852	336	193	68	120	10	66	4	55	3,864
Unknown or not reported	1,181	148	97	40	14	24	10	25	2	33	936

¹ Includes homemakers, students, unemployed or retired persons, and others not reporting or with an unknown occupation. ² Data are for unknown republic; exclude independent republics. See Notice of Special Geographic Definitions.

- Represents zero.